TODAY'S WEATHER
Fair; Light to Fresh Westerly Winds.

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SURVIVORS OF A GALLANT REGIMENT AT KENNYWOOD PARK

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THE WEATHER

The cloudy weather predicted for yesterday came all right. The morning was one of the worst in downtown Pittsburgh for years, a black fog hanging thickly over the streets and making breathing difficult. It is hoped that the prediction for today will prove as true. The Washington weather guessers ventured the opinion last night that Pittsburgh would have fair weather today and that it would continue fair, although cooler, tomorrow.

Fair.

Excepting the heavy morning fog, yesterday was a fairly pleasant day, the fog vanishing about the middle of the forenoon. The maximum temperature was 85 and the minimum was 60.

Time.	Bar.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind	Weather.
8 a. m.	30.18	62	89	E.	Clear
8 p. m.	30.10	77	63	S. E.	Smoky

Comparative temperature and precipitation at 8 p. m.:

	1902	1901		1902	1901
Maximum ...	82	62	Mean ...	70	71
Minimum ...	58	60	Precipitation ...	.00	.00

Mean temp., 4 p. m., 85; Excess since Jan. 1... 370
Min. temp., 4 a. m., 69; Precip. for day 34
Mean temperature, 72; Precip. for day ..... .00
Normal temp., 61 yrs... 71; Defic. for day ..... .09
Excess for day ..... 1; Defic. since Sept. 1 ..... .27
Defic. since Sept. 1. 4; Exc. since Jan. 1... 4.15

Government Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 3.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Fair Friday; Saturday fair, cooler, light to fresh southwest to northwest winds.

West Virginia—Fair Friday; Saturday fair, cooler.

Ohio—Fair Friday, cooler in northwestern portion; Saturday fair, cooler, light to fresh southwest to northwest winds.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations for September 3, 1903:

Chicago ...	78 Pt'Cldy	Washington ...	74 Clear
Columbus ...	82 Clear	Parkersburg ...	80 Clear
Cairo ...	86 Clear	New Orleans ...	82 Clear
Cincinnati ...	82 Clear	Kansas City ...	76 Pt'Cldy
St. Louis ...	86 Clear	Philadelphia ...	74 Clear
Oklahoma ...	82 Clear	Huron ...	86 Pt'Cldy
El Paso ...	88 Clear	St. Paul ...	88 Cloudy
New York ...	66 Pt'Cldy	Omaha ...	78 Cloudy
Buffalo ...	72 Pt'Cldy	Denver ...	80 Cloudy
Detroit ...	80 Clear	Salt L. City ...	86 Clear
Nashville ...	84 Clear	Louisville ...	86 Clear

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

ALVIN—Richard Golden in "King Dodo," 8:15 p. m.

BIJOU—"The White Slave," 8 p. m.

DUQUESNE GARDEN—Last week of the summer stock opera company, "Faust," 8:15 p. m.

EMPIRE—"Down by the Sea," 8:15 p. m.

ACADEMY—"The Kentucky Belles," 2 and 8 p. m.

KENNYWOOD PARK—Rocereto's band concerts, Kotex Brady, aerial acrobats, and other vaudeville acts, afternoon and evening.

OAKLAND BOARD OF TRADE CARNIVAL—Fifth avenue, opposite Hotel Schenley.

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA EXPOSITION—Creatore concerts at 2, 4, 7:30 and 9:30 p. m.

EXPOSITION PARK—Pittsburgh vs. Cincinnati, National league championship series, 3 p. m.

RELIANCE BURSTS THROUGH FOG WINNING DECISIVE RACE AND CHEERING HEARTS OF PATRIOTS

Cup Defender Establishes the Superiority of American Designers and Seamen Beyond All Question.

SHAMROCK ABANDONS CONTEST

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

New York, Sept. 3.—The Reliance, the American cup defender, today won the third and final race and the series for that famous sea trophy, the America's cup. In a dense fog, which prevented vision beyond 200 yards, she finished the race at 5:30:02 amid the acclamations of the assembled fleet. Shamrock, after running for more than an hour in the fog, missed the finish line, passed by it and then returned to it from the opposite direction. As the Reliance was then being towed through the fleet, yacht ensigns fluttering from her truck and spreaders in celebration of her victory, the Shamrock III. did not cross the finish line. As often said of the historic race when the American won the cup, "There was no second."

This successful result was achieved only after four futile attempts to sail off the final race and after the outcome had been admitted by even Sir Thomas Lipton to be a foregone conclusion. Today's was the eighth attempt to sail a race. After one finke the Reliance won the two following races, one by seven minutes and three seconds and the other by one minute and 19 seconds. A week ago the first attempt to sail the first race failed, and attempts have been made every day this week. On two occasions the Reliance led the Shamrock to the finish line by about two miles but failed to reach it before the expiration of the time limit of five and a half hours. Today's victory means that the cup is destined to remain in American until England is able to produce a genius equal to Herreshoff in yacht designing.

Finish Was Spectacular.

Rarely if ever has there been a more spectacular finish than the Reliance's today. After racing for more than an hour at terrific speed through a blinding fog, the Reliance burst through the wall of mist upon the vision of the spectators on the fleet assembled at the finish line, and, heeling under a great bellying balloon jib topsail until her lee rail was awash, fled across the finish line almost before the spectators could determine for a certainty that it was she.

A fleet of at least 30 vessels went down to the familiar waters of the international course to witness this fifth effort of the Reliance to cover the course of 30 miles within the time limit. It had become a race of the American boat against time instead of a contest of two well-matched craft. When they reached the lightship a gentle southeast wind of five knots that barely wrinkled the surface of the sea gave but faint promise that this was to be the final day, but a shift of the wind to the south shortly after noon revived the despairing hopes of the yachtsmen, for it blew away the misty haze which had been hanging over the course since the easterly storm of last week. The regatta committee waited until the last moment to send the boats away at 1 o'clock, after which hour it had been agreed that no race should be started. Signals were displayed to indicate a windward and leeward course of 30 miles, south and back.

Duel Between Skippers.

The duel between the skippers began at the sound of the preparatory gun and continued through a series of brilliant maneuvers, in which Capt. Barr again proved his splendid seamanship by outgeneraling Capt. Wringe until the boats went across the line. During the 15 minutes before the starting gun, Capt. Barr held the British boat under his lee and for most of the time blanketed. He never relinquished the windward position which the Reliance held when the preparatory gun was fired. Ten minutes later when both boats were heading away from the line the Shamrock luffed and forced the Reliance about, whereupon both hegged for the line. On the way to it Reliance held the challenger under her lee quarter partially blanketed. Alternately luffing and keeping away, Capt. Barr prevented the Shamrock from getting away from him and across the line, but two minutes after the starting gun and at the sound of the gun indicating the expiration of the handicap, Capt. Wringe luffed the Shamrock across the stern of the Reliance and the two boats went across the line together.

The official starting time was:

Reliance 1:01:56
Shamrock III. 1:02:00

The Shamrock III. actually crossed the line at 1:02:03 and suffered a handicap of three seconds. Both were heading seaward, but as the Reliance from a position on the lee bow of the Shamrock was backwinding her head sails, the Shamrock promptly wiirled about and headed down the Jersey coast. The Reliance held on for a minute and then followed. The maneuvers placed the Reliance to windward but astern of the challenger. They went at a swift chase in a freshening breeze.

Wringe Uses Old Tactics.

Capt. Wringe attempted to outsail the defender by giving his boat a good full and letting her romp away at a fast clip, while Capt. Barr pinched the Reliance close to the wind and cleverly nursed her toward the turning mark. Shamrock III. at first footed faster, but the Reliance more than made it good by outpointing her.

For more than an hour they sailed on that tack down past the shore of Sandy Hook and the Highlands of Nevesink to Seabright, and during all that time the Reliance steadily worked up to windward of the beaten challenger, outpointing and outfooting her at the same time, and passing to windward of her. When they tacked off Seabright heading seaward, the American boat had gained a quarter of a mile straight to windward of the British craft. On this new tack Capt. Wringe again gave his boat a good full and she cut through the Reliance's lead at an alarming gait, but all to no purpose. Pinched into the wind or with a rap full, the Shamrock was hopelessly outclassed.

After half an hour's turn off shore, they sailed toward Long Branch for half an hour. Capt. Barr attempted to make a hitch off shore, but the Shamrock would not follow and he took the Reliance about again to keep in her company. Meanwhile the Reliance had steadily gained and when at 5:10 both boats headed off to the mark, six miles away, the Reliance was a good mile ahead and gaining.

Yachts Reach the Turn.

Heeling to a freshening wind and jumping into a rising sea, which at times threw their long bows high out of water, to come down with a splash that sent miniature clouds of foam flying from under their powerful shoulders, the boats were making a pretty spectacle of it. The boats were gaining in speed with every mile, and the Shamrock III. was a long mile astern when the Reliance whirled about the mark and lowering stretches of canvas broke and bellied out from her spinnaker pole and over her bow. The homeward stretch had begun. The boats were timed at the turn as follows:

Reliance 3:40:35
Shamrock III. 3:51:45

The Reliance had gained 11 minutes and 2 seconds in the thrash to windward, and, barring accidents, the victory was hers. As the boats started the run homeward under spinnakers and balloon jibtopsails a split about three feet long appeared in the foot of the Reliance's spinnaker, but as it drew well, Capt. Barr continued to carry it. For three-quarters of an hour the only variation was a slow gain by the leading boat. The sky was clear and the sinuting rays of the yellow western sun were painting a beautiful marine picture with the two yachts as center figures when at 4:20, with almost half the course yet to be sailed, a thick bank of fog came

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LIPTON PENS PARTING WORD

Expects to Challenge Again If He Can Get Better Boat.

HAS NO GRIEVANCE

American Sportsmen Play Fair and Sandy Hook Course Is as Good as Any in World.

ERIN'S SILVERWARE NOT TAKEN

[By Private Wire To The Gazette.]

New York, Sept. 3.—It is all over for this time. I have been beaten by a faster boat. My conscience is clear, because I have done everything possible to bring over the best boat that could be produced in Great Britain and the best talent to sail her.

I am very much disappointed at the result of this trial—more than at the previous failures—because I had expected so much more. I have no complaints to make against my designers, boat builders or the men who sailed Shamrock III. They all did their best.

I am deeply grateful to the gentlemen of the cup committee and to the New York Yacht club for the exceedingly kind manner in which I have been treated. A kinder and better lot of sportsmen do not exist anywhere. Likewise am I grateful to the United States government for the way in which it has kept the course clear for Reliance and Shamrock III.

I don't know how I'll pass next summer without a look at Sandy Hook. I'd challenge tomorrow if I felt I had a chance to win. Who can design a boat that will win? That is the only question with me. People who said I wouldn't challenge don't know what they are talking about—they do not speak for me. I am prepared to fight anything that floats if I can get the proper kind of a weapon.

As it looks to me now, Jeffries is in a class by himself, and Reliance is in a class by herself. For me to tackle one or the other is equally preposterous. But conditions may alter.

'I'll never change the name of the challenger I send over here. Shamrock is the name every boat that comes backed by me will bear; I love the name, a better one does not exist.

What shall I do if any other Briton challenges? My attitude will be that of absolute loyalty to him and to my flag. All the support I can give him, based upon my love of country and my experience, will be his. I'll put any or all of my boats at his disposal to try out his. I'll tell him all that I have learned. In short, I'll do everything I can to enable him to do what I have failed to do—lift the cup.

But I say frankly, if it comes to that and anybody can build a boat that can win, I want to be that man. Never shall I surrender the hope of taking the American's cup back to England until I have succeeded or some other man has anticipated me.

The Sandy Hook course is as good as any in the world. I'd as lief race here as anywhere on the Atlantic coast. Our coast has the same flukes of wind you have here. No place that I know of is free from them. All the jokes about souvenirs being carried off the Erin are fables; I haven't lost so much as the value of a black pin. And on the other hand, my boat is filled with gifts from Americans. Of course, that is merely one of your American jokes and I laugh at it as you do.

SIR THOMAS LIPTON.

FIVE BADLY HURT IN TROLLEY WRECK AT LORAIN

LORAIN, O., Sept. 3.—A wreck occurred late tonight on the Lake Shore electric road near Sheffield, five miles east of this city. The 10:30 eastbound car was speeding toward Cleveland when it ran into an open switch and crashed into a gondola loaded with coal. The passenger car was completely wrecked. Five persons were brought to the hospital in this city and all are thought to be badly injured. They are William Aiken, Cleveland; Edward Krueger, conductor, Lorain; Skip Weavere motorman, Lorain; Albert Gegenheimer, Berlin Heights; Will Minkler, Fremont, Ohio. The physicians in attendance upon the injured believe that Conductor Krueger and Minkler are fatally hurt.

PHILADELPHIA GETS WABASH

Gould Outwits Opposition in Securing Entrance to City.

CONCEDED BY ENEMY

Influential Opponent Admits That Road Cannot Be Kept Out.

HOLD THE RIGHT-OF-WAY

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau, Press Building.
PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Sept. 3.

George Gould has won a way for the Wabash railroad into the heart of Philadelphia.

His determination to have an eastern terminal in this city and thus span the continent with his system is no more a mere ambition. He has overcome the obstacles the Pennsylvania railroad and its allies placed in his path. It is only a matter of a short period now before Wabash trains will run in and out of Philadelphia.

This statement is made on the basis of information from a man occupying an influential place in Philadelphia municipal and financial circles, and who heretofore has been aligned with the anti-Gould forces. He declared that the Wabash system could not by any possibility be kept out of the city now, so cleverly had Gould maneuvered.

Gould now holds legal rights over the promises of others which will give the Wabash this long-sought entrance. He won his chief point some time ago when he ingeniously procured, through agents, a steam railroad charter which every one at that time was led to believe would be used for building a trolley line from Parkesburg, Pa., to this city. It was declared that the regulation electric railway charter was insufficient because a way could not be obtained without exercising the right of eminent domain. Now it transpires that this was a clever Gould coup.

Route Into City.

Here is the way the Wabash will be run into this city: A loop will be built from the extension already obtained to Baltimore up to Parkersburg; from that point the trains will use the Philadelphia & Western "trolley" tracks to Sixty-third and Market streets. And from there, by authority of additional charter rights and franchise which it is said the Wabash will be able to obtain easily from councils, the line will continue on into this city, skirting Bartram park and crossing the Schuylkill river near it.

So far as the franchise is concerned not the slightest difficulty will be experienced in obtaining this. It is said, because the city's political leaders have been convinced by business men that additional railroad facilities would benefit Philadelphia.

Plans for all the extension work, it is understood, have been adopted, and a number of options on property in the western section of the city have been secured. Besides this, surveys into the heart of the city have been completed and 400 men are at work grading between Coatesville and Pomeroy.

The proposed extension will not necessitate difficult engineering feats. The line from Baltimore to Parkesburg will be on a grade almost continuously level, and from Parkesburg to this city, when the Pennsylvania tracks are reached, those of the Wabash will go over them, as they are submerged at the points where intersection will occur.

Business Men Want Road.

There are a number of business men in this city who are anxious to have another railroad enter here. Several meetings have been held between representatives of the Gould party and a number of business men of prominence in this city in regard to the construction of the Wabash to this city. It is said that financial support has been offered and that everything will be done to secure from the city the consent for the Wabash to enter Philadelphia.

Wherever it is possible, the Wabash railroad will enter into competition with the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. It will parallel its lines to draw trade from that corporation.

CHESTER D. POTTER.

REUNION OF VETERANS OF WAR OF REBELLION

Surviving Members of the One Hundred and Fifty-Fifth Pennsylvania Volunteers Hold a Campfire in Kennywood Park.

The surviving members of the One Hundred and Fifty-fifth regiment, Pennsylvania volunteers, held a reunion yesterday, the first time the old boys have come together since the last reunion, seven years ago in Clarion. Many familiar faces were missed, for since the last meeting 117 members of the famous old regiment have died.

The reunion was held in Kennywood park and the 116 members who responded to the roll call spent a delightful day together. Many of them took their wives and children along, and more than 200 persons sat down to dinner.

The One Hundred and Fifty-fifth was recruited entirely in Western Pennsylvania and most of the members who responded yesterday still live in this state. The color bearer of the regiment, L. E. McPherson, came all the way from Chicago with his family to attend.

The members of the regiment gathered in the morning between 9 and 10 o'clock in the reception room in city hall, where they received badges. At 10 o'clock they boarded cars bound for Kennywood park and at 11 they gathered on the floor of the casino. The meeting was merely called to order and then adjourned for dinner.

The business session and the campfire occupied the entire afternoon. Col. E. W. Hill made the opening address. The committee on resolutions reported on the death of the late Gen. A. L. Pearson and had prepared a handsome leather-bound book in a leather-bound case containing the resolutions on his death. The book will be presented to Mrs. Pearson. Resolutions on the death of Col. John H. Kane were also reported and adopted. Col. E. W. Hill was the chairman of the committee on resolutions.

John M. Hayes, the youngest member of the regiment, and David Lloyd, the oldest, 87 years old, attracted a good deal of attention as they sat side by side at the campfire that followed the business session. William S. McCluskey, the drummer boy of the Twenty-fourth regiment, played the drum, and John K. Bethel blew the fife. "The Star Spangled Banner" was sung by Miss Minnie Shoman, and addresses were made by Col. John Ewing, Col. H. Jay Allen and Charles F. McKenna. Mr. McKenna urged that congress be petitioned to grant a medal to Col. Allen, the last surviving regimental officer of the Pennsylvania regiments that took part in the battle of Fredericksburg.

Before the meeting adjourned it was decided to hold another reunion next year, the place to be designated by the executive committee.

WOULD ACCEPT NO EXECUTIVE POST

Charles M. Schwab Says He Will Devote His Time to Regaining His Health.

IS WILLING TO GIVE ADVICE

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau, Herald Building, Herald Square.
NEW YORK, Sept. 3.

Charles M. Schwab, formerly president of the Steel Corporation, has retired absolutely from active business, notwithstanding reports that he would soon assume the presidency or active management of various companies. In an advisory capacity, Mr. Schwab says, his services are at the disposal of any corporation with which he is connected, but that he will positively accept no executive position.

"This statement," said Mr. Schwab this afternoon, "is unqualified. My first duty at present is to regain my health, and until that is accomplished I shall accept no executive office with any corporation. What I shall do when I become a thoroughly well man is in the future. If I find that I can undertake an active business life I may formulate some definite plans."

Mr. Schwab was asked concerning the possibility of his returning to the presidency of the United States Steel Corporation.

"That is ridiculous," he replied. "I thought that I had made that point perfectly plain when I resigned. I am willing to act in an advisory capacity to any corporation in which I am interested, but I shall not undertake the active management of any company."

Mr. Schwab came from Atlantic City this morning and was in his new offices for a few hours.

FRANK A. PARKER.

STOLEN JEWELS MAY BE COMING HERE NOW

ALEXANDRIA BAY, N. Y., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—A $5,000 diamond robbery is the sensation of the season, society here. Mrs. S. Wier Martin of New York and Mrs. M. Heating of Chicago are the victims. They were out boating on the lake all afternoon yesterday and when they returned in the evening they discovered that their rooms had been ransacked and their jewels stolen. The parties suspected of stealing the property are believed to have gone to Pittsburgh. The Pittsburgh police have been notified to be on the lookout for them.

AIRSHIP FAILED TO TAKE FLIGHT

Prof. Langley Is Obliged to Abandon the Launching of His Aerodrome.

ACCIDENT TO THE MACHINERY

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

Widewater, Va., Sept. 3.—Efforts today to launch Prof. Samuel P. Langley's 60-foot man-carrying aerodrome had to be abandoned this evening owing to the failure of the gasoline motor to work properly. For hours Prof. Charles M. Manley, the inventor's right-hand man, labored hard to get the machinery in shape. He was unsuccessful. The trouble was caused by a broken valve in the engine. When Prof. Langley at last reluctantly called the experiment off the aerodrome was returned to the interior of the houseboat. The inventor then made the following statement:

"The work of the afternoon has been a great disappointment to me all. The failure to have an experiment was caused by the discovery of a broken valve in the motor. This can be repaired, I think, during the forenoon tomorrow."

When the signal was given by firing a skyrocket from the houseboat to apply the motive power to the machine, Prof. Manley tried in vain to get the engine in operation. Several subsequent attempts were made. Once the propellers were set to going for five minutes, but the revolutions instead of reaching 1,200 did not exceed 500 and the work was very irregular.

Just before the expected time for launching Prof. Langley said:

"If there is no accident at the beginning to the machine we hope to see a successful flight. The greatest fear is the immediate launching."

FRENCH BAYONETTED AMERICAN SOLDIERS

PEKING, Sept. 3.—In a fight today between 15 French soldiers and four Americans, the French used bayonets and two of the Americans were seriously wounded.

French Against Cardinal Gibbons.

PARIS, Sept. 3.—The government has signed a decree of expulsion against a prominent ecclesiastic who recently stopped at Montreal, the charge against him being secrecy. La Patrie states "on authority" that the ecclesiastic referred to is Cardinal Gibbons.

FERDINAND'S HAND ON SWORD

Its Unsheathing Will Likely Decide Fate of Macedonia.

PEOPLE IN SUSPENSE

Sultan Grants Audience to Heads of Christian Churches and Assures Safety.

SLAUGHTER STILL GOES ON

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

Sofia, Bulgaria, Sept. 3.—A council presided over by Prince Ferdinand, and attended by the premier and the minister of interior war and justice, was held at the palace of Euskoupna, near Varna, today. The announcement of the result of the deliberations is anxiously awaited here.

No definite news was received today regarding the operations of the insurgents across the frontier. Bands varying in strength are daily passing over the border.

The insurgent general staff has issued a proclamation throughout Macedonia asking for the support of the whole population and pointing out that the revolutionaries are not fighting for a neighboring power, but for human rights.

More fighting is reported from the district of Debra. The Turks attacked the revolutionaries at the village of Dermeni and both sides suffered heavy losses. A summary of Albanian troops proceeding up the valley of Kitchevo was slaughtered by revolutionaries. The Turkish troops recently made an attempt to take a pass occupied by insurgents through the valley of the Struma river, but were defeated with great loss.

The rebels have possession of the Vodena heights to the east of the Lerin valley and are

killed. Another band of 16 rebels was destroyed near Monastir.

Sultan Warns Subjects.

LONDON, Sept. 3.—The Turkish embassy here sent out tonight a notice published by the Ottoman government in the vilayets of Adrianople, Salonica, Kossovo and Monastir, warning the population against joining the insurgents. The notice says: "The majority of those who allowed themselves to be led astray have finally expressed their sorrow and tendered their submission."

BUCHAREST, ROUMANIA, Sept. 3.—Sveikoff, the agent here of the Macedonian committee, has been arrested for extorting by menaces of death, subscriptions to the funds of the revolutionists. The police discovered receipts signed by Boris Sarafoff, the revolutionary leader, for sums aggregating $5,000. Sveikoff had been in the habit of crossing the frontier to send the money to Sarafoff.

ATHENS, Sept. 3.—Premier Raili has requested the diplomatic representatives here to urge their governments to insist on the porte punishing Bakhtar Pasha, the governor of Krushevo, for the excesses committed by the Turkish troops on the population of that city when they recaptured it from the insurgents.

AUSTRIAN SPIES WERE NEARLY BURNED ALIVE

Their Presence Interrupts Anti-Austrian Demonstration by Congress of Students.

[Associated Press Cable To The Gazette.]

ROME, Sept. 3.—A congress of students, which was held today at Udine, near the Austrian frontier, was the occasion for another anti-Austrian demonstration, due to the presence of students from those Italian provinces still under Austrian rule. Bands played patriotic airs and the hymn of Trieste, whilst the flags of the four Italian provinces not yet united to Italy were carried at half-mast, as a sign of mourning, and waved amid intense enthusiasm and patriotic cries.

The mayor of Udine delivered a speech in which he said that the demonstration was a pledge of brotherly solidarity among the free and the unfreed Italian regions. At a certain point in the proceedings two or three supposed Austrian spies were discovered and a tumult ensued. The alleged spies were seized and threats were made to burn them alive. The police, however, rescued them from the mob, but not before they had been badly mauled.

RANKS THINNING OUT.

Annual Report of Pension Commissioner Shows Total of 991,181 on the Rolls.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—(Special.)—The annual report of Pension Commissioner Ware is about completed and it will contain some interesting statistics regarding the fast thinning ranks of the civil war veterans. His figures show that at the end of the fiscal year, June 30, there were 991,181.

The commissioner states that the maximum number of pensioners was reached on July 31, 1902, when the number amounted to 1,001,400. He said that it is not probable that the million mark will again be reached on the pension rolls. There were 40,907 pensioners dropped from the rolls during the last fiscal year. In Pennsylvania during the year there were 101,164 pensioners and they received from the government $18,322,201. West Virginia had 12,687 men on the rolls who received $1,740,105.

L. W. STRAYER.

BOYD BUYS A BLOCK.

Pennsy Official and Charles M. Schwab to Build Homes at Cape May.

CAPE MAY, N. J., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—George W. Boyd, general passenger agent of the Pennsylvania railroad, has purchased a block of land at Beach and Pittsburgh avenues from the Cape May Real Estate Company, known as the Pittsburgh syndicate, where he will build a handsome summer home.

Charles M. Schwab, the former president of the Steel Corporation, has purchased a site and will erect an Italian villa from plans by his architect, F. J. Osterling of Pittsburgh. President Cassatt of the Pennsylvania has announced that this company will build a new station on the land recently acquired by them here, to cost about $150,000.

PASTOR WILL NOT VACATE.

Refuses to Obey Court of Reformed Church and Gets Injunction.

EASTON, PA., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—Rev. S. M. Kiefer, pastor of the Reformed church, Easton, who was ordered by East Pennsylvania classis of the Reformed church to vacate the pulpit September 1, today had a preliminary injunction issued restraining the classis or its supply committee from interfering with his pastorate.

In his petition Rev. Kiefer alleges that the proceedings of the classis which forced him are unconstitutional according to the laws of the church. The argument to have the injunction continued until the synod, to which Rev. Kiefer has taken an appeal to decide his case, will be heard by the court next Tuesday.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived Sept. 3.

NEW YORK—Calabria, from Marseilles; Germanic, from Liverpool; Barbarossa, from Bremen; Pretoria, from Hamburg.

HAMBURG—Pennsylvania, from New York.

LIVERPOOL—Saxonia, from Boston.

LIZARD—Nordam, from New York for Rotterdam.

BROW HEAD—Victorian, from New York for Liverpool.

LIZARD—La Bretagne, from New York for Havre.

QUEENSTOWN—Commonwealth, from Boston for Liverpool, and proceeded.

CHERBOURG—Auguste Victoria, from New York via Plymouth for Hamburg, and proceeded.

ST. MICHAELS—Princess Irene, from Genoa, Naples, and Gibraltar, for New York.

Sailed Sept 3.

NEW YORK—Moltke, for Hamburg via Plymouth and Cherbourg; La Touraine, for Havre; Mongolian, for Glasgow; Friedrich der Grosse, for Bremen, via Plymouth and Cherbourg.

QUEENSTOWN — Majestic, from Liverpool for New York.

GLASGOW—Carthagenian, for St. Johns, N. F., and Philadelphia.

LIVERPOOL—Canada, for Boston via Queenstown; Pretorian, for Montreal via Moville.

QUEENSTOWN—Haverford from Liverpool for Philadelphia.

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DEATH CLOSED HIS LONG CAREER

Andrew Armstrong Purman Died at Midnight in His Son's Home.

OF REVOLUTIONARY STOCK

Served in Many Public Positions—After Life on Farm and in Shop Became a Lawyer—Was a Democrat of the Jefferson School.

Andrew Armstrong Purman, one of the leading citizens and lawyers of Greene county, died at midnight at the home of his son, Dr. John Purman, Eighth avenue and West street, Homestead. Mr. Purman was 81 years old. He practiced law in Waynesburg for 56 years. For some time past Mr. Purman had been in declining health and a month ago he was brought from his Greene county home to the home of his son to receive medical attention. His decline was steady.

Mr. Purman, who came of revolutionary stock, led an active life, both in the fields of public and private endeavor. He was born in Ohio county, Virginia, April 8, 1822. His ancestors settled in Pennsylvania prior to the war of the revolution.

His grandfather, John Purman, was of German blood, though born in Switzerland, and was a student at the University of Geneva. When he first read the Declaration of Independence he resolved to take part in the great struggle for liberty. Landing at Philadelphia, he enlisted in the Continental army August 6, 1778, in Capt. Paul Schotls' company, attached to Von Ottendorff corps, and served until honorably discharged. The mother of the deceased was Barbara (Burns) Purman, daughter of James Burns, who was also a soldier in the revolutionary war, being a member of Capt. Archibald McCallister's company of Col. Hartley's regiment.

A. A. Purman spent his early life on a farm in Greene county where he first went to subscription school and at an early age learned the shoemaking trade, which he followed for several years. Living within the strictest rules of economy, contributing from his earnings to the support of his widowed mother, with a family of small children. The education of himself and his younger brothers also received his attention. Every leisure moment he devoted to books, often having one open while at work. He was a student in a select school in Waynesburg and afterward at the founding of Waynesburg college he entered it as one of its first students. He began the study of law with Samuel Clevenger and was admitted to the bar in 1849. He had a warm heart for the weak and oppressed and was always ready to enter the arena when duty called. No man ever practiced law at the Waynesburg bar who did so much for the younger members of the profession, his time, library and vast knowledge of the law was always at their disposal. He had the respect and confidence of the entire profession as well as the community. Few cases of importance have been tried in the county in which he has not been concerned. He was conspicuous at the supreme court of the state, where he was usually successful. He frequently argued cases before the United States supreme court, from which, on one occasion he received a high compliment from that honorable body for his masterly argument and statements of the law. He was a life-long Democrat of the Jefferson school, and made his first political speech in 1844 for Polk and Dallas.

In 1858 he was elected district attorney, and later he was defeated by one vote for the office of president judge of the district then composed of the counties of Washington, Fayette and Green. In 1869 he was elected state senator in the district composed of Westmoreland, Fayette and Green, in which body he was a recognized leader of his party which was in the majority part of his time. He served as chairman of the finance committee. He was elected in 1872 on the Democratic ticket a delegate-at-large to the constitutional convention and took rank as one of the ablest of that distinguished body. In 1874 he declined the nomination for lieutenant governor of the state. He served as a school director for over 15 years and was a member of the borough council for almost an equal period. He has repeatedly been a delegate to national conventions and presidential elector. In 1884 he was defeated for the nomination for congress. Mr. Purman was a member of the Baptist church for 40 years.

He was president of the board of trustees of Monongahela college for over 20 years.

Mr. Purman was married June 26, 1856, to Mary Ann, daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth Morris Russel. Of their nine children six are now living. John, a physician in Homestead; Lydia, widow of B. R. Williams, principal of the Homestead High school; James J., and A. A., Jr., who are practicing attorneys in Waynesburg; A. B., a merchant of the same place, and Elizabeth M., wife of T. C. Gabler of the Pittsburgh bar.

CARNEGIE IS PLEASED.

British Iron and Steel Institute Will Visit the United States.

BARROW-IN-FURNESS, ENGLAND, Sept. 3.—The Iron and Steel Institute closed its autumn meeting today. It unanimously accepted an invitation extended by Charles Kirchoff of New York, former president of the American Institute of Mining Engineers, to hold a meeting during 1904 in the United States.

Andrew Carnegie, president of the Iron and Steel institute, said he regarded the acceptance of the invitation as being an international event, pregnant with beneficial results.

The meeting in the United States will be held during the autumn of 1904. The next meeting of the institute will occur in London, in May, 1905.

FURNACE WORKERS WILL DEMAND EIGHT-HOUR DAY

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—Furnace workers of the country will demand an eight-hour day throughout the country on May 1, 1904. This was the decision reached this afternoon at the convention of the Blast Furnace Workers and Smelters' union of America. For the past two years the union has been endeavoring to force an eight-hour day instead of a 12-hour day. If President James McMahon will not accept a reelection, Michael Keenan, the national treasurer of Buffalo, will be chosen in his place.

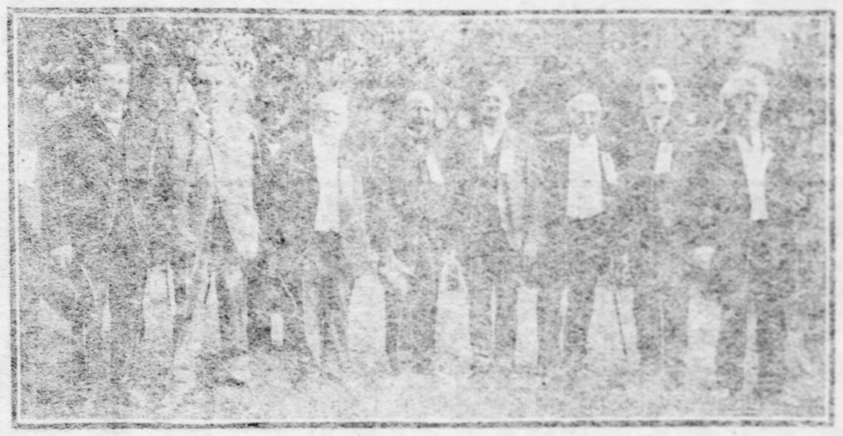
The Sweetest Cantaloupes In the World

are the "Stag Brand," grown at Rocky Ford, Col. They cost little more than other Rocky Ford cantaloupes, owing to the extreme care exercised in growing and selecting them for market. The difference in cost is not great, but it is sufficient to deter the cheaper class of dealers from handling them, as they are not satisfied with a fair profit. Our brand is registered. But some dealers have risked prosecution by selling other melons out of our lithograph-labeled crates. The moral is to make your purchases from reputable, honorable dealers, who will give you the genuine "Stag Brand." Before cutting see that cantaloupe is of a proper degree of ripeness, and your verdict will be, "the finest I ever tasted."

ALBERT M. TRAVIS,
Distributor for the United States and Canada.

Don't miss "Pittsburgh After Nightfall" in The Sunday Gazette.

Group of Notable Civil War Veterans



Reading From Left to Right—J. D. Birch, Sergt. Maj. William Moore, Col. John Ewing, Col. Samuel Hill, Col. L. E. McPherson, Col. E. J. Allen, Col. H. A. Bread, Charles F. McKenna, Esq.

RELIANCE BURSTS THROUGH FOG WINNING DECISIVE RACE

Continued from First Page.

rolling in before a southeast wind and enveloped the Shamrock in a blind gray mist that shut her out of the vision of the fleet as though she had been wiped from the surface of the sea.

The Reliance ran along for five minutes longer with the sun glinting upon her sails until the fog bank reached and rolled over her and she too disappeared from sight. As it caught her she felt also a heavier wind from the southeast, smothered her spinnaker, and leaning to the wind fled at a swift pace like a dim ghost through the gray mist. One by one the vessels of the fleet disappeared from view until the only evidence of their presence was the hoarse bellowing of their warning whistles as they scurried off in search of the old red lightship.

The two racers sailed in that dangerous fashion at top speed for an hour. Meantime the Navigator, carrying the regatta committee, hunted for the light ship to establish the finish line. It was 5:20 before she found it and the fleet began to gather about her. All was a blank, gray wall of fog.

Ten minutes they waited. Then the Reliance, heeling before the wind, her sails bellying hard and her lee rails dragging up the spindrift, burst through the veil of fog and upon the startled vision of the watchers on the little fleet. Hardly had they recognized the familiar features of the American craft when, with her great balloon jib topsail fluttering into the arms of the nimble members of her crew out on her bowsprit, she fled across the line down through the lane of yachts to victory.

The whistles of every craft in the fleet opened wide in recognition of her achievement. The delighted Marblehead dandy about the deck of J. Pierpont Morgan's black steam yacht, the Corsair, and hilariously congratulated one another. The Reliance tug searched the fleet for the racer and then towed her through it with yachting ensigns flying from her mast and spreaders, while similar flags appeared at various points on the spars and rigging of the Corsair and the whistles of the fleet again saluted the defender.

Meantime the regatta committee's tug whistled shrilly its guiding signals to the missing Shamrock. The Reliance had crossed the line at 5:30:02, and it was after 6 o'clock when the fog lifted a bit and disclosed the challenger here to north of the line. Capt. Wringe had missed it in the fog and passed by to the east of it. Shamrock did not attempt to cross the line, but, after a feeble salute from the fleet, was taken in tow to the Hook. The fleet started for home, and the series of races in defense of America's cup for 1903 were ended and American genius, brains and seamanship were once more triumphant.

SIR THOMAS PRAISES VICTOR'S GENEROSITY

His Crew Goes Back to England on Tuesday — Designer Fife Silent.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

HIGHLANDS OF NAVESINK, N. J., Sept. 3.—When the Erin had discharged her passengers tonight and the echo of their cheers had died away, Sir Thomas Lipton said:

"Two weeks ago I was hopeful; last week I knew I was doomed to defeat and was disappointed, but today I am almost glad in my own defeat, this America has been such a thoroughly generous victor. I want again to thank the American people for their generosity to me in my defeat.

"My crew is to return to England on Tuesday next and I really ought to go back by that time myself. I will postpone my engagements in a day or two and then determine just what I shall do. I shall attend a dinner in New York tomorrow night and have half promised to be Mr. Woodruff's guest in Brooklyn and go to the New York state fair, but that is not absolutely certain. It is possible I may have to start for home next week.

"I am to meet some people tomorrow who desire to buy at least one of the boats. After I have seen them I will determine what to do."

Regarding the defeat of Shamrock III he simply said: "I do not care to discuss it any more. The American boat is the better that is all."

Designer Fife refused to talk.

Capt. Wringe, while agreeable, still would not talk any further than to say: "We did the best we could, but the other boat was the better."

Capt. Barr of the Reliance said after the race:

"Reliance is a beautiful boat; had all kinds of weather and won in it. Our adversaries did the best they could with the material at their command."

J. P. Morgan's yacht, the Corsair, stopped in at the hook and took Oliver G. Iselin aboard. Mr. Iselin was all smiles as he replied to an inquiry as to the result.

"Of course, I am proud of the result, a splendid boat, a splendid crew and captain, and all helped the result. Sir Thomas made a brave fight and deserved better luck, but every American should be glad the cup is to stay here."

Sir Thomas and Mr. Iselin exchanged visits tonight and the former extended his congratulations to the latter.

SAN FRANCISCO WANTS NEXT CUP YACHT-RACES

Aggressive Coasters Say the Harbor Offers Superior Advantages.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 3.—The California promotion committee has sent the following telegram to the president of the New York Yacht club, inviting the club to select San Francisco harbor as the next course for the defense of the America's cup:

Dear Sir:—On behalf of the state of California and the city of San Francisco, the California Promotion Committee respectfully suggests to the New York Yacht club that the next international race for the challenge cup be held in the waters of San Francisco bay. The season of Spring, Summer and Autumn, from April 15th to November 15th, July 15, August, 25 miles per hour—deep and safe waters, on the largest landlocked harbor in the world, with 450 square miles of water surface, insures a safe and exciting contest which could be viewed from beginning to end by spectators on the land. The ocean course outside the harbor offers similar advantages. The fact that there is no tide during the summer months is an additional feature.

If the competing yachts should be brought through the Suez canal the long trip would arouse the greatest interest in the international event. With the center of the Pacific ocean offered, the challenge would probably be tried to compete for America's cup.

The committee believes that, in view of the facts presented, the course in San Francisco harbor is worthy of the consideration of the club and we will be glad to meet in any steps to reach the end desired. This invitation is indorsed by the San Francisco Yacht club.

JAMES D. PHELAN,
Executive Officer of the California Promotion Committee.

A similar telegram was sent to Sir Thomas Lipton.

WIRELESS MESSAGES ARE AGAIN INTERFERED WITH

NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—(Special.)—The managers of the Marconi Company today notified the Associated Press that wireless reports of the yacht race were again made impossible by interference, which they said came from certain competitors in wireless telegraphy. The Marconi receiving stations received nothing but the letters A. B. C. repeated continuously, when the bulletins describing the progress of the race should have been coming. This was a recurrence of the disturbance encountered in the second race of the series. On that occasion the wireless yacht bulletins became hopelessly tangled with profanity and poetical quotations sent into the air by some interrupting instrument.

BETTING IN NEW YORK ON SHAMROCK AND RELIANCE

NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—(Special.)—Four bets on the America's cup races were made this afternoon in Wall street, the odds being 10 to 1 on the Reliance. A bet of $1,000 to $100 was made by F. H. Brooks with Provost Bros.; another of $1,000 to $100 with Charles H. Davis, one of $500 to $50 with James Harris & Company. The fourth was a bet of $100 to $10.

PRESIDENT SORRY FOR CRANK WEILBRENNER

Laughs at Warnings of Danger, But Guards at Sagamore Hill Are Doubled.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

OYSTER BAY, L. I., Sept. 3.—President Roosevelt, it is said, laughs at the openly-expressed fears of his official household, while repeatedly assuring the fiveller apprehensions of his family. His sentiment concerning the visit of Henry Weilbrenner is only pity for the young farmer and his family. One of his inquiries today was whether the malady which has sent the young man to the Kings Park institution is curable. The president has announced that the incident will make no change in the program of his daily life. If he wants to go riding, he will go. If he prefers a boat ride with his sons, he will take it, and in all events he is confident he can take care of himself.

If the president is without fear, the federal authorities as well as his own family are not. One result was seen tonight when the guard around the president's home was doubled and an order was sent out for four more secret service men to join the eight already on duty. This delegation will remain with the president until he returns to Washington.

If it was difficult to visit Sagamore Hill, it was impossible today. The guards stretched themselves down to the tennis courts instead of on the edge of the lawn and batting was quick. Without a pass from Mr. Loeb it is doubtful if a member of the cabinet could have driven or walked a step further. Tonight the warning is to keep away or go at your own risk. Many messages of congratulation came today for the president. The president had but one visitor, Jacob Riis of New York.

PITTSBURGH MAN ROBBED.

East End Physician Loses $300 Diamond Pin at McDonald Fair.

MCDONALD, PA., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—Dr. J. S. Gray of No. 932 North Negley avenue, East End, Pittsburgh, reported to the police here that he had been robbed of a diamond stud, worth $300, at the McDonald fair yesterday. E. S. Shafer, a jeweler of Beaver Falls, also reported the loss of a diamond pin valued at $250.

Both diamonds had been taken from their owners by being cut with a pair of nippers. It is the opinion of the police that a gang of professional crooks are operating at the fair. A crowd of 8,000 people visited the fair yesterday.

Shot Dead in Street.

ELWOOD, IND., Sept. 3.—A. J. Baker, a well-known business man, shot and killed Fred Kiser, a butcher, tonight. The dead man had approached Baker on the street and accused him of intimacy with his wife. Baker denied the charge and was struck in the face. He then drew his revolver and fired.

Attell Gets Decision.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 3.—Abe Attell of San Francisco was awarded the decision over Johnny Regan of Brooklyn, in the end of the 20th round, in a contest here tonight.

VETERANS OF OLD STATE CANAL HOLD REUNION

Association Meets in Johnstown and Elects Officers—Deaths During Year.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

JOHNSTOWN, PA., Sept. 3.—The 18th annual reunion of the old Pennsylvania Canal Boatmen's association was held in Grand Army hall, this city, today. Blaine McCormick of Altoona, president of the association, called the meeting to order. Mayor John Fendry welcomed the veterans. The response was made by Dr. J. C. Kennedy of Pittsburgh. The principal address was made by Attorney H. W. Storey, who gave an interesting account of the canal and canal days.

The veterans decided to hold their meeting next fall in Freeport, Armstrong county, and the following corps of officers was chosen: President, Robert Barclay of Johnstown; vice president, Simon Mixon, Bolivar, Pa.; executive committee, William B. Adams, Johnstown; Robert Bingham, Aspinwall, and William Flores, Freeport; secretary, Joseph Hunsinger, Johnstown; treasurer, M. S. Brown, Blairsville.

John Wilson, Livermore; Hall Clark, Kelsburg; Charles Walbach, Clyde J. Saxton, Conemaugh; William Shields, Indiana; George Clugh, Johnstown; Capt. George Williamson, Blairsville; Paul Graff, Blairsville; William Shields, Gilpin, O.; Conrad Litzinger, Freeport, all died since the last meeting. The present membership of the association is 296.

CHURCH LOSES $50,000 THROUGH H. T. EDSON

Man Who Killed Mrs. Pullen and Himself Was Also a Defaulter.

[By Pollard Wire To The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—More than $50,000, and perhaps $100,000, is lost to St. Michael's Protestant Episcopal church through forgery and theft committed by Henry Townsend Edson who on Wednesday killed Mrs. Fannie W. Pullen and himself.

It is now generally believed that the many acts are the result of madness brought about by the knowledge that his peculations would soon be exposed, for he had been recalled from his vacation in Maine to make an explanation. The vestry of St. Michael's had met last Monday for the purpose of authorizing expert accountants to examine Mr. Edson's books.

Although the investigation has only begun, it is known that Mr. Edson, who was the financial clerk of the church corporation, discounted a forged note for $25,000 purporting to be signed by the treasurer of the church, William H. Peters, that he cashed several forged checks, and that he appropriated to his own use rents and voluntary contributions. The church, although it has few wealthy members, is heavily endowed and has properties which yield a large income.

FRANK A. PARKER.

WOMAN WINS IN DUEL.

Former Husband Attempts to Kill Divorced Wife Who Returns the Fire.

ENGLISH, IND., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—John and "Duckie" Brown, formerly husband and wife, who were separated by a divorce some time ago, fought a duel today with pistols.

John heard that his former wife was about to wed a prominent man in this city and called at her home to remonstrate with her. As his words had no effect he finally drew a revolver and fired at her twice. As Brown advanced Mrs. Brown reached into the open drawer of a bureau at her side and drew from it a revolver. She fired one shot at John and he quickly decamped.

ANOTHER CALL SENT TO PITTSBURGH PASTOR

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—The congregation of Trinity German Lutheran church of this city has extended a second call to the Rev. Frederick Brand, pastor of St. Paul's German Lutheran church of Pittsburgh, who refused to accept the first call because his congregation was unanimously opposed to his leaving Pittsburgh. It is now believed that his congregation will release him if he personally insists upon it and it is believed he is desirous of taking the charge.

VENEZUELA GETS LOAN OF SIXTY MILLIONS

LONDON, Sept. 4.—The Brussels correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says an agreement concerning the Venezuelan debt was signed yesterday (Thursday) between a syndicate of Paris banks and Senor Velutini, the Venezuelan representative. A new loan of 60,000,000 guaranteed by the customs receipts will be issued. The agreement requires the approval of the Venezuelan parliament.

PLOTTED TO KILL THE PREMIER OF JAPAN

LONDON, Sept. 4.—A dispatch from Kobe, Japan, says three Japanese have been arrested on suspicion of plotting the assassination of the premier of Japan, Viscount Katsura.

Mrs. Molineux Brings Divorce Home.

NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—(Special.)—Mrs. Roland B. Molineux, who went to South Dakota to obtain a divorce, arrived in the city today with the necessary papers which will allow her to resume her maiden name of Blanche Chesebrough.

Three Women Killed By Train.

LIGONIER, IND., Sept. 3.—A freight train on the Lake Shore railroad killed three women tonight at Felton's crossing. They were walking on the tracks. They are Mrs. Wilhelmina Bowman, Mrs. Ellis Myers, daughter of Mrs. Bowman, and Miss Blanche Gill.

UNITED WORKMEN TALK INSURANCE

Pennsylvania Jurisdiction Holding an Important Special Session.

AFFECT THOUSANDS' WELFARE.

Men Who Have Paid Assessments for Years, but Have Now Grown Old Are Confronted With a Higher Rate—An Actuary Explains.

An important special session of the Pennsylvania jurisdiction of the Ancient Order of United Workmen began yesterday in Arnheim's hall, 1711 Penn avenue, and will probably be finished today. The session is of special interest to thousands of families, for the convention will take action on the changes in insurance rates proposed by the annual convention of the supreme lodge in St. Paul in July. The order is one of the oldest fraternal insurance organizations in the country, having been founded in 1868. The present insurance rate for members 50 years old is $1.84 per assessment, and it is proposed to increase that rate to $4 for $2,000 of insurance. It is also proposed to make another class for those more than 55 years old, who shall pay $3 40 per assessment for $2,000 insurance, it being argued that an old man should pay more than a young man who has many years of life before him.

It was predicted long ago by "old-line" insurance men that the rates of fraternal insurance for old men would have to be raised, unless the fraternal insurance organizations intended to permit the accession of new members to die out. It having been asserted that new members would cause in some in which most old members were left on whose lives, soon to terminate, the young men would have to pay the insurance.

The session opened at 10 a. m., and Supreme Master Workman William H. Miller took the floor and made a lengthy statement, explaining the changes in rates proposed at the annual convention. Miss H. Dawson, a consulting actuary, spent the greater part of the afternoon explaining the reasons actuating the supreme lodge in making the changes. Mr. Dawson is a professional insurance actuary, having charge of the Supreme lodge, and he explained the law and rate of the order thoroughly. It appears that was in advance of the proposed changes, for he argued for it the degeneration expected to maintain its present prosperity it would have to adopt some such plan. The session will meet again at 10 a. m. today.

The officers of the Pennsylvania jurisdiction are: Grand master workman, Morton Morris; past grand master workman, F. W. Hunstings, Bradford; grand overseer, A. A. Bloom, Sunbury; grand recorder, J. N. McNair, Allegheny; grand receiver, O. K. Gardner; grand guide, H. E. Carnger, Cambridge Springs; grand inside watchman, Samuel Kepler, New Castle; grand outside watchman, T. O. Hazen, Sharpsville; grand trustees, G. C. Smith, Harrisburg; William A. Dougan, Meadville, and J. W. Vastet, Greensburg. Supreme representatives, John W. Bickel, Norristown; S. A. Kline, Greensburg, and Edward Hohmann, Johnstown.

COXEY AGAINST STRIKES.

Leader of the Famous March to Washington Condemns Labor Unions.

WILKESBARRE, PA., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—Gen. J. S. Coxey of Coxey army fame, who arrived in this city today on a visit, spoke of the strike in New York. He said: "Labor unions act unwisely at times, and an indication of this was demonstrated at New York when the trades strike was inaugurated. This struggle demoralized conditions and was positive detriment to labor. It has crippled the steel industry and many of the men employed are idle, hoping against hope for brighter days.

"At present I am in the steel casting business, and sometimes in making my rounds, meet some of the men who took part in the eventful trip, when an army of unemployed marched to Washington. These are all working, I hope. If not it is their own fault, as there is plenty of work."

SUICIDE AT NIAGARA.

Unknown Woman Casts Herself Into the Water and Goes Over the Falls.

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—The first suicide of the summer occurred this afternoon at 3 o'clock, when an unknown woman went over the Horseshoe falls to her death. Two women and men on the boardwalk saw her. The public climbed over the iron railing along the boardwalk. She was walking out into the water, when the spray made an attempt to rescue her. The women was too quick for him. She hurried her steps and when the water was always her ripper she laid down, the current carried her over and ever until she disappeared over the falls.

She left behind on the boardwalk, a black jacket with a striped lining. In the pocket of the jacket was a small black purse, which contained a pocket book containing $45 and 47 cents. She is supposed to have been a Buffalo woman. No means of identification has thus far been recovered. The body has not been recovered.

CITIES OF THIRD CLASS ELECT OFFICERS FOR YEAR

WILLIAMSPORT, PA., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—The convention of cities of the third class this afternoon decided to meet in Wilkesbarre next year and elected the following officers: President, Charles H. Price of Wilkesbarre; vice president, Curvin A. Mosier, Harrisburg; secretary, Joseph Lamberton, Harrisburg; treasurer, J. Craig Chester, trustees, C. D. Wilde, Chester; John Hunsicker, Lebanon; Slayer Falkenstein, Williamsport.

The following legislative committee was appointed: A. Jackson of Scranton; Mayor Fahy, Allentown; Wilson, Mayor Faltenstein, Williamsport; James A. Gardner, New Castle; Mayor Houston, Chester; H. R. Breckenbaker, Bradford; F. D. Cummings, Williamsport.

Motor Cycle Record Broken.

BOSTON, MASS., Sept. 3.—In an attempt to beat the track record of 58 4-5 seconds, Albert Champion tonight at Charles River park established a new record for the quarter mile of 57 seconds, a mile in 56 seconds. The seconds won the benefit meet to add to the fund for a monument for Harry Kona, the rider who was killed at this track on Memorial day.

Prohibitionists Name Ticket.

HAGERSTOWN, MD., Sept. 3.—The Maryland Prohibitionists today nominated the following state ticket: For governor, William Hamilton Hall, Baltimore; attorney general, Frank Hughes, Frederick; comptroller, Daniel W. Miller, Somerset county.

Constipation

Headache, biliousness, heartburn, indigestion, and all liver ills are cured by

Hood's Pills

Sold by all druggists. 25 cents.

OSBORNE VICTIMS BALTIMORE BOYS

Identified by Coroner Through Photographs Forwarded by Their Parents.

WERE RUNAWAYS FROM HOME.

Their Names Ernest Avery and Charles Lenhardt—Men Supposed to Be Wilbert Dugan, of Wheeling, Killed at Carlogie—Fatalities by Rifle and Ball.

The two boys who were killed on the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago railroad at Gen. Osborne station Wednesday are supposed to be Ernest Avery and Charles Lenhardt of Baltimore, who have been missing from their homes since August 2. They were identified yesterday by Coroner Jesse M. McHenry from photographs sent him by the boys' parents. Young Avery was 15 years old and was a son of Dr. John Avery of No. 1803 North Broadway, Baltimore. Lenhardt was 17 years old and lived at No. 1807 East North avenue of that city. The boys ran away from home and have been working about the country. Their parents were notified last night of their untimely fate.

Simeon D. Truax, 50 years old, of No. 1901 Balsam street, Allegheny, died at St. John's hospital yesterday from injuries received on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad at Fifth furnace on Wednesday.

A man supposed to be William Dugan of Wheeling, W. Va., was killed last night on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad at Carnegie.

The remains of the 3-year-old child of Mrs. Mary Gellert of McKees Rocks, who is in jail pending an investigation by the coroner, were interred yesterday at St. Mary's cemetery.

The body of Frank Demuth, aged 9 on Hallop, was found yesterday morning at the Sharpsburg bridge. The boy was drowned Saturday while trying to get a log from the river at the foot of Twenty-second street, Sharpsburg.

Spencer Lee, a laborer, 25 years old was killed by a coasting falling on him at the La Belle steel works, Robinson street, Allegheny, yesterday.

SIX PERSONS KILLED; TWENTY-FIVE INJURED

Passenger Train Goes Through a Bridge on South Carolina Railroad.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Sept. 3.—Six persons were killed and 25 injured, one fatally, and two seriously, in a wreck on the Southern railway near Yorkville, S. C., today.

The dead:

ENGINEER BRAKEMAN.
FIREMAN R. HINE.
POSTAL CLERK SMITH.
THREE UNKNOWN NEGROES.

The injured are: John Johnson, Rock Hill, S. C., probably fatally; W. L. Slaughter, Hickory Grove, N. C., seriously; T. C. Hicks, Lancaster, S. C., seriously. Nineteen other white persons and three negroes, nothing mostly in North Carolina towns, were injured, but not seriously hurt.

All the bodies have been taken from the wreck, save those of the engineer and fireman. The wreck was caused by the collapse of a trestle 60 feet high, over Wilkins creek.

DOCTORING MILK CAUSES A SUICIDE

BEAVER, PA., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—Three arrests were made in this city today at the instance of Pure Food Commissioner Robert M. Watson. The defendants were Alfred Simmons, from whom Dr. Reese sold milk test as he got it from Daniel Rothenberger, a farmer; Nathan Berger, hotel man, Alfred Dellinger, peddler, and Jacob Hoffman, a meat market man. Hoffman took poison from a bottle. He will be dead on under orders from his employer. The health commissioner is vigorously prosecuting those who persist in doctoring milk.

MRS. DREXEL LOSER OF $20,000 WORTH OF JEWELS

NEWPORT, R. I., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—Two jewels, the value of which is estimated at $20,000, have been lost by Mrs. John R. Drexel, a prominent society visitor. One disappeared on July 4 and the other on August 24, but Mrs. Drexel hoped to find them in a short while and would not advertise, although the matter remained a secret until today. The jewel Mrs. Drexel had on the evening of August 24 was a large diamond pin, surrounded by five other particularly fine stones.

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TEACHERS WISH TO BE MASTERS

Trouble Over This Ambition Starts at Meeting of High School Committee.

FINAL ACTION IS POSTPONED

Believed That the City Is Being Beat Out of Tuition Fees by Children Attending City Schools, but Living in the Suburbs.

The mastership question came before the high school committee of the central board of education last evening and evoked considerable discussion. It was unsettled when the discussion ended and the entire subject of the rating of the teachers in the high school is likely to come up again for final settlement this winter. At present there are three classes—teachers, masters and professors. The difference lies not only in the rank, but in the remuneration. The range of salary for a teacher is from $700 to $1,000 and for master $1,000 to $1,500.

Many application are received for advancement from teacher to master, but the high school committee is chary about doing this. At the June meeting of the central board of education several changes were made from teachers to masters by the board without the committee getting a chance to act in the matter. A request for advancement made by five of the academic department teachers in July was sent to the committee. This request was from Miss Fundenberg, Miss Stemert, Miss Gosser, Miss Gray and Miss Miner.

Last night five of the teachers in the South Side High school—Miss Elizabeth C. Riggs, Miss Stella M. Stein, Miss May D. Potter, Miss Elizabeth Williams and Miss Katherine Carnahan—sent in a like petition. Jacob Minsinger of the Mt. Washington subdistrict presented it and wanted it granted as an evidence of fair play to the South Side.

Chairman James McEwen ruled that the committee could not change a teacher to a master, the board having made the classification. The petition from the academic department, it was decided, could be acted upon as it had come from the board.

Mr. Minsinger objected to this, holding that the South Side would have no chance to be granted if this academic petition got through first. On his motion action on the latter was postponed for a month. In the meantime he will present his petition for the South Side teachers at the next meeting of the central board.

Outsiders Not Paying.

The committee discussed what is believed to be a fraud upon the city. Pupils living outside of Pittsburgh are charged $100 tuition at the high school. Members of the committee have been told that non-resident pupils are in the school who are not paying.

Director Rynearson said that every pupil on entering presented a certificate from a member of the central board certifying that he lived in the member's subdistrict.

"I can't go behind that," said the director, "although I have one case where the certificate says the pupil lives in the city and the pupil says he lives in Crafton."

"Then the pupil is a liar, or the member is a liar," said John McIlroy.

"Maybe the member has been misinformed," Director Rynearson added.

Mr. H. D. Sellers said he knew of a case where children had a room where they lived from Monday until Friday, going home on Saturdays. It was also pointed out that pupils who were residents when they entered the school frequently moved to the suburbs and kept on coming to school. The question was laid aside, but will be taken up and an effort made to stop the fraud.

The resignation of Prof. James W. Rankin, professor of English in the academical department, was presented and accepted. The manner of Prof. Rankin's resignation is looked upon as a compliment to the Pittsburgh schools. He graduated from the High school in 1888, took the degree of A. B. at Harvard in 1892, studied in the law school of the University of Virginia and five years ago came back to his home and began teaching in the High school. This summer he was elected as assistant in the English department at Harvard. To have Harvard college come to Pittsburgh for a teacher who is both a graduate of and a teacher in the local High school is regarded as a high testimonial of the efficiency of the Pittsburgh educational system.

As his successor the committee recommended J. E. Marvin of Bridgeport, Conn. Mr. Marvin is a graduate of the Connecticut State Normal school and of Harvard. He has taught in the Lakeville, the Hotchkiss and the New Haven normal schools.

New Position Created.

Another resignation presented and accepted was that of Miss Willa S. Cather, a teacher of English, who is going to the Allegheny High school. To fill this vacancy and for a new position, made necessary by increased attendance, the committee recommended Miss Mary L. Jobe of Ohio and Miss Loretta Barry of the South Side. Miss Jobe is a graduate of Scio, O. She has taught four years in public schools and two years at Bryn Mawr. Miss Barry is a graduate of Radcliffe and this is her first position.

There are 3,881 pupils enrolled in the high schools, an increase of 121 and this will be added to before the end of the month. It will be necessary to shift the faculty work and if necessary Director Rynearson has been given this authority to use the central board room for instruction purposes.

Mabel Shyrock, librarian of the Mt. Washington Carnegie library, sent a letter thanking the committee for the use of the South Side building this summer. She stated that 450 children had patronized the temporary branch there and had taken out 1,544 books.

Was Discharged Without Comment.

In an item yesterday regarding the discharge of Mrs. Birdie Hosmer, alleged to have violated the health ordinance of Allegheny, it was stated that Mrs. Hosmer was warned by Alderman McKelvy to report any suspicious cases in the future. Mrs. Hosmer says that no such statement was made by the alderman and that she was discharged simply because there was no evidence to sustain the charge made.

LABOR DAY OUTINGS.

Pittsburghers Arranging to Spend Sunday and Monday on the Lakes.

Next Monday, Labor day, will be observed as a holiday by a great many Pittsburghers who will enjoy outings on the lakes. The week-end excursion fares to Conneaut lake, Erie, North East and Ashtabula, in effect Saturday, via Pennsylvania lines, will enable them to leave the city that day and spend Sunday and Labor day at those resorts. The round trip fare from Pittsburgh for all trains Saturday will be as follows: Conneaut lake, $2.50; Erie, $3.00, North East, $3.25, and Ashtabula, $2.50. Excursion tickets will be good returning until Monday, inclusive. On Labor day a general reduction in fare will be in effect to stations within 50 miles of Pittsburgh.

Labor Day Excursion to Conneaut Lake.

Monday September 7th Via Baltimore and Ohio and Bessemer and Lake Erie Railroads.

Special train leaves Allegheny 7 a. m. Returning leaves the Lake 7 p. m., same date. Tickets $1.50 round trip. Last excursion of the season to this popular resort.

Ten dollars to Cape May, Atlantic City, etc., in coaches, or twelve dollars in parlor or sleeping cars, via Pennsylvania railroad, September TENTH. Remember this is the last for 1903.

Paulson's Have Moved

their store to No. 515 Wood street, about same distance above Fifth avenue as they were below, same side of street.

"Can Diamonds Be Manufactured?" by Henry Neidig, in The Sunday Gazette.

NO INDORSEMENT BY OLD SOLDIERS

Under Rules They Cannot Declare for Candidate Until He Has Been Nominated.

STILL FAVOR STEWART

L. B. Cook Promised Support of Sixth Ward Organization—Bigelow's County Committee to Indorse Republican State Nominees.

There will be no indorsement of an old soldier candidate for a county office prior to the Republican primaries. The Soldiers' Civic league last night thus interpreted its rules. A majority of the members favor the nomination by the Republicans of Maj. Robert E. Stewart of North Braddock for district attorney.

There was a misunderstanding about the rules of the league. A week ago the conference committee decided in favor of Stewart and it was supposed that at the meeting last night there would be some action taken on its selection. It was found that the organization cannot indorse a candidate until he is nominated by a party. The soldiers believe that Stewart will be acceptable to a majority of the Republicans. The conference committee will meet with a number of Republican leaders at noon today. The league members want it understood that the failure to indorse cannot be taken as evidence that the old soldiers are opposed to Stewart.

Lawrence B. Cook, who is seeking the Republican nomination for district attorney, was indorsed last night by the Sixth Ward Republican association. Cook lives in the Sixth ward.

Thomas S. Bigelow says that the Citizens county committee will meet Tuesday to indorse the Republican state candidates. He has no assurance that these nominees will accept the proffered assistance of the fusionists. It will be tendered not because the machine bosses care for the success of the Republican state ticket, but because they think it will benefit the Democratic county ticket.

There will be a meeting tomorrow of the Citizens committee on contests. It will take up the trouble in the Eleventh and Fourteenth ward, where there have been disputes since June. It is understood that there will be no settlement until after the election and that the purpose for taking up the matter now is to keep both sides hopeful of getting the decision.

The Sixth Ward Republican association held a meeting at the Forbes school last night and adopted a resolution indorsing the candidacy of Lawrence B. Cook for the Republican nomination for district attorney.

DOLLAR S. F. AND TRUST DOUBLES ITS CAPITAL

Allegheny Institution Stockholders Authorize $2,000,000 Increase, One-Half Now.

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Dollar Savings Fund & Trust Company of Allegheny, yesterday, the increase of the capital stock from $1,000,000 to $2,000,000 was authorized.

"The purpose of the increase is to take care of the business that has come with the growth of the company," said R. H. Boggs, its president. "We expect to issue of the new capital 5,000 shares of a par value of $100 at $350 at once. The other 5,000 shares will be held in the treasury ready for issuance at such a time as the directors see fit. It is believed that they will command a higher price than $350 before long.

"Of the $350 per share of the new stock to be issued now $100 will go to capital and $250 to surplus. The present surplus is over $1,000,000. The new issue will give us, therefore, close to $2,500,000 surplus.

"The growth of the bank has been very rapid. In the last five months the deposits have increased nearly $1,000,000, and now amount to about $2,250,000. The new capital was needed to take care of business which was offered to us, but was too large to be handled with the old capital. There is no intention of the company obtaining control of a national bank. The new stock is needed for the requirements of the company itself."

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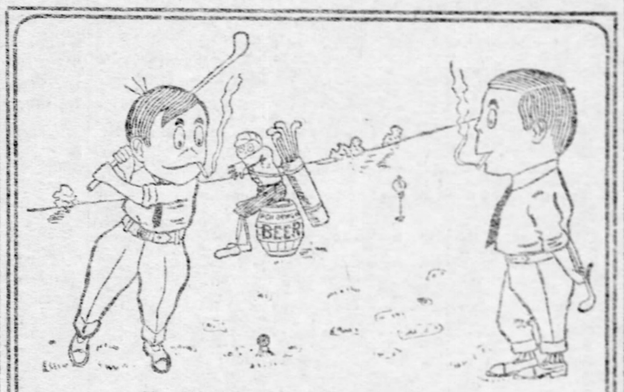

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JOSEPH HORNE CO.

Weather—Fair. Friday, September 4, 1903.

A Great Opportunity in Black Dress Goods.

And this is what brings it about: we anticipated more room for black goods about this time, but met with disappointment. New black goods are coming in every day both from foreign and domestic makers, and we haven't room for them either in the stock floor or in the retail department. Therefore we name some get-along prices on these new blacks that will put them in the hands of the consumer quickly. More, we don't mind saying that we have laid out to do a larger black goods business this September than ever, and we mean to accomplish this set purpose by naming best qualities of black materials for extremely low prices. Let us cite a few instances:

48c a yard for an all wool black Cheviot—the very material for girls' and young ladies' school dresses.

68c a yard for a $1 grade of black Zibeline Skirting, 58 inches wide. The right weight for the unlined skirt.

$1 a yard for a $1.50 grade of black Boutonne Etamine, one of the newest weaves.

$1.50 a yard for $2 grade of black imported Broadcloth.

$2 a yard for a $2.50 grade of black imported Broadcloth, with the popular glove finish.

Black Zibeline, now so much in favor, both the long and close-nap weave, from $1.25 along to $3 a yard.

Beautiful thin black materials, both for house and street wear, in plain and novelty Voiles, 75c, $1, $1.25 and up to $2 a yard.

Little Prices for Clever Pictures.

Our Picture Department on the Mezzanine has received its Fall collection and it is one that should have an early inspection. We sell striking pictures on the less price rule of this store, and any one interested will be surprised how little it takes to buy something neat for any room in the house. Take today's offerings as an index—

$1 each for Colored Prints, framed in gilt, size 19x20. These are excellent reproductions from noted paintings.

$1.50 each for fac-similes of water colors after Carl Weber, framed in neat gilt frames, 22x32. Such effects have never been offered in Pittsburg at the price.

25c each for Hunting Scenes, framed in green and black.

25c each for Colored Pictures in gilt frames.

There is something very special in Gilt Cabinet Frames with mats. One opening, 15c and 20c; 2 openings, 25c; 3 openings, 35c; 4 openings, 50c; 5 openings, 60c; 6 openings, 70c.

Women's New Kid Gloves.

New shipments from abroad are coming in almost daily now, and we are ready to show extensive lines in medium to finest gloves.

One of our very best specials is a 2-clasp French Kid Glove, with a glace finish, having Imperial embroidered backs. This glove is perfect fitting, and comes in all the new shades. We are quite sure it could not be duplicated in this country under $1.25; our price, $1 a pair.

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In the finer kid gloves we have the Glace and Suede, both in pique and overseams, latest Fall tints. $1.50 a pair.

Notice is given to women who favor the celebrated makes of Kid Gloves of Jouvin & Cie, and Reynier, that we are now ready with complete lines in both kid and suede.

Women's New Neckwear from Paris.

This new Neckwear represents the best ideas that have been brought out for Autumn and the coming Winter. Our collection is replete with everything that is interesting. The following will help you to a selection.

New Taffeta Stocks, colors and black, 50c, 75c and up to $4.50 each.

New Persian Silk Stocks, handsomely embroidered, $4 and $4.50 each.

Cream Lace Stocks, with double tabs, 75c each and up to $1.50.

Pleated Taffeta Stocks with four-in-hand ties, colors and black, $1 each.

Hand-embroidered mull and lace Stocks, bishop effects, $2.25 each.

Hand-made lace and taffeta Stocks, cream and light blue, $2.25.

Lace and crepe Stocks, ornamented with steel beads, $1.75 each.

Taffeta Stocks, trimmed with Persian embroidered beads, bishop effect, $2.

Beautiful new Lace Collars, with long stole ends, for wearing with wraps and gowns, $5 each and up to $60.

New Liberty Silk and Chiffon Collarettes and Boas—all the latest effects, white, black and champagne—$4.50 each up to $25.

Real Irish Lace Collars and Stocks, with cuffs to match, $8 to $9 a set.

Handsome Dress Suits for Women.

From among the new arrivals just in, we take for mention two numbers of Dress Suits that we are sure will please women who want something of the finer order.

$30. Dress Suits of blue cheviot, 45-length blouse effect jacket, having a circular skirt, shoulder cape with 3 bands of taffeta, turn-over collar, faced with stitched silk and fancy braid; full sleeves; 7-gore full flare skirt with knee pleat, made over silk drop.

$35. Dress Suit of boutonne Zibeline, navy blue and black; long, tight-fitting coat with hip seams and velvet collar; round length 9-gore skirt, full flare, knee pleat finished with stitching.

New Dress Plaids

for Autumn wear. You already probably know that plaids are going to be very fashionable this Fall. Our new lines comprise

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$12. Walking Skirts of black and blue Tailor cloth, made with strap yoke, 9-gore flare, side pleats.

$15. Walking Skirts of blue, black and Havana brown Cheviot and Scotch Mixtures, made with yoke, 7-gore flare, lap seams, finished with 6 narrow bands of material at bottom.

Women's Silk Petticoats, $4.25.

We have just secured 100 Taffeta Silk Petticoats in black and colors of a $5 and up to $7.50 grade, to sell for $4.25. Styles are circular ripple flounces and accordion pleating. Unlikely that such another value in a handsomer Silk Petticoat will be offered again this season at such a price.

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A Little Talk to Men About Their Autumn Clothes

Various occupations admit of dressiness only after hours of labor, other occupations allow neat dress at all times—but it is a good general proposition that men of every occupation like to be well dressed. This is especially true here in sooty Pittsburg. There are no better dressers anywhere than among our Pittsburg men of every occupation.

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Guarantee Perfection in Every Case.

Now as to the price of ready-made clothing, there is a difference of about one-half between ours and what any man would have to pay for a made-to-measure suit or coat. More and more each year are men coming to the habit of wearing ready-made clothes. There is nothing strange in this. Perfect workmanship brought to perfection by the aid of the finest machinery has brought prices of clothing down to where no one ever dreamed they would come to. A man today can put on a $20 or $25 suit and stand alongside of his neighbor wearing a $60 or $75 suit and it will be a close question as to which is the better dressed.

If you have never been a customer of our Clothing Department we extend a hearty invitation to come and see our lines. Not necessary to come with the intention of buying, but just to look over our large stocks. Following are some of our prices:

At $12.50 Men's New Autumn Suits—sack suits—in neat dark mixtures, finished with faint overstripes. These effects in cassimeres. In cheviots a plain black with a faint overplaid of dark blue.

At $15 Men's New Sack Suits of cheviot in neat brown mixtures and black and white indistinct dots; fancy Scotch tweeds in tan and brown mixtures.

At $17.50 and $18 Men's New Sack Suits in about every color, either fancy or plain, in such cloths as double twill worsted, undressed worsted, cheviot worsted, and rough effects in tweed, cheviot, hopsack and bannockburn.

At $20 and up to $35 an enormous collection of high-class suits of English cassimeres, homespuns, worsteds and silk warp cheviot, in quiet, rich effects so much admired by men who like plain dress; also in overplaid Irish donegal, a hand-loomed cloth.

At $15 the dressiest Top Coats, and at the same time best in every way ever seen in Greater Pittsburg for the money. Material is covert in several shades of tan, and choice can be made from either a silk lined or serge lined coat.

At $20 our top notch special, a 38-inch long Top Coat, in a pretty oxford gray. This special coat would be extra value at $25. It is full satin lined.

At $18, $20, $22 and $25 new Top Coats in new shades of covert, new tan, new brown and slate.

Men who would like to own two or three pairs of neat trousers, something extra to contrast with coat and vest, are notified that our Autumn lines are ready in every trouser material and in every trouser style $3.50 and up to $9.

Our new lines of Wash Vests, which are now worn almost throughout the year, are ready. White and also neat stripes and checks in linen, $2.50 and up to $3.50; dark and light shades of linen and worsted, $3.50 and up to $5.

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Friday, September 4, 1903.

Yesterday the cruiser Cleveland failed to make the speed called for on its trial trip. This event is notable, for it is the first instance in the history of the "new" navy that trial speed has not exceeded the rate called for in the contract. All of the earlier vessels earned premiums for excess speed and in service exceeded their official records on trial. The Cleveland will probably be no exception to the latter rule and may, in practice, exceed her contract speed. Details are not at hand to explain the new cruiser's failure to come up to specifications, but it is likely the contract standard of requirements has been raised as compared with the earlier lettings. The boat is a good, serviceable one in any event.

Pension Commissioner Ware notes a decrease in the pension roll of veterans of the civil war. The high mark was reached last year, when there were over a million names on the list. Commissioner Ware does not think it possible that number can ever be reached again and would not be surprised if the decrease is rapid. It has been said by our foreign critics that the United States pays "more for a dead army than any other nation does for an army of live men." The amount is now decreasing. But in any event that just treatment of the men who served their country well gives to the country a greater military strength than that of any other. It adds to the spirit of the American soldier, who is without a peer.

Another failure was scored by the Marconi wireless telegraph in the attempt to report the yacht race yesterday. The receiving station could get nothing but "A. B. C.," the proof that other systems were interfering. Inventor Marconi announced upon his arrival the other day that he had new devices to prevent such interference. The event proves that he needs them. It may be they will not prove effective. In this case it is easy to see that even moderate success of the wireless telegraph will depend largely upon universal agreement to the terms of the protocol formulated by the Berlin wireless conference last month, particularly the clause providing that rival systems shall endeavor to prevent interference. Still the wireless is a new thing and a way may be found by which Hertz waves may be controlled and protected without mutual agreement.

According to the Madrid correspondent of the London Times Spain is drifting into revolution. All classes of people have lost their respect for the government, the army is disaffected, the peasants are rising against the officials and the workmen are striking in masses. The cry is that the monarchy, the church and the capitalists are responsible for the general misery and that the only cure for the situation is a radical reorganization of society. The Conservative party now in power is trying a policy of repression which is such a failure that it is likely that the Liberal Monarchists will be called to power, Gen. Weyler at their head. They have a program of agrarian reform and the establishment of peasant proprietorship, but it is doubtful whether any program can be devised which will avert revolutionary outbreaks, which will compel Weyler to rest his administration upon army support and practically convert the government into a military despotism.

For another two years, at least, the America's cup will remain where it is. In the third and final race yesterday the Shamrock III. was beaten decisively by Reliance. When the latter crossed the line at the finish the former was about three miles out and did not finish the run. We are sorry for Sir Thomas Lipton, whose perseverance and good nature deserved a better fate, but as he himself says the better boat has won. He despairs of having a fast enough yacht designed to beat American skill, for he says this country leads in everything. It may be that some one will challenge for the cup next year. If so America will meet him the year after and beat him as well. The cup is open to all comers, but he who would secure the trophy must come with a yacht that is a fast footer in all kinds of weather and under all conditions. The American defenders, from first to last, have shown racing qualities of the first order on the reach and on the run, in light breezes and in strong winds. They have been fully representative of the skill of American designers, builders and sailors.

The large corporations which are styled trusts in this country are not trusts at all, and are exposed to competition just as much as any individual concern. If they make large profits it is because their resources give them such economic facilities that they can make earnings at prices which do not encourage competition. In Germany the old-fashioned trusts, which have disappeared in this country, still abound, and they secure profits by extinguishing competition in the home market and advancing prices. Export prices are so much below home market prices that a trade has sprung up of buying at export prices and reshipping to Germany at a profit notwithstanding the import duties. A recent consular report says that dealers near the frontier are able to import iron tubing and heavy castings, pay the return freight and duties on the same, and yet clear from $40 to $62 per ton because of the high domestic prices fixed by the trusts on the goods which they sell cheap for export.

In addressing the heads of the social religious communities, who called to congratulate him upon the anniversary of his accession to his brother's throne, Abdul Hamid almost went into tears. He declared his one earnest desire was the welfare of the people of Turkey regardless of their religious affiliations, and called upon God to witness that he was not responsible for existing troubles. This sort of conduct on the part of the sultan of Turkey, the commander of the faithful, is unusual and is indicative of a perturbed state of mind. His words may be accepted as true to the extent of their denial that he sought the disturbances that are racking his empire. Yet there can be no doubt of his responsibility for the existing state of affairs. Since he ousted his brother, Abdul Aziz, and put him in confinement for alleged insanity, Abdul Hamid's reign has been weak, vacillating and ordered in constant fear of his own dethronement. If he has not incited his subjects to atrocities he has been so lenient in punishing them as to encourage fresh outbreaks. Now that he is in serious trouble he is repentant and conciliatory, but if he had peace again he could not maintain it and would not install justice in his dominion. Of that he is incapable.

Secretary Shaw's Plan.

In view of the fact that financial legislation will be recommended by the president at the coming session of congress, official utterance on the subject is being studied for indications of the policy of the administration. Secretary Shaw's position as head of the financial department of the administration invests his utterances with special importance. There are reasons for thinking that the views presented in his Chicago speech are simply his personal opinions and do not afford a good indication as to the kind of legislation the administration will recommend.

Secretary Shaw thinks provision for emergency issues of bank note currency will meet the needs of the present situation, the withdrawal of the issues after the emergency has passed being accomplished by a special tax of 5 per cent. Congressman Charles N. Fowler, chairman of the banking and currency committee of the house, has recently declared himself strongly opposed to this very scheme and he gave his reasons in detail. He does not believe it will work at all. He calls attention to the important fact that although bank notes are popularly called money, thus obscuring the fact that they are really only forms of credit like checks and drafts, from the banking point of view it is immaterial so far as liability is concerned whether credit shall be extended by issue of notes or in the form of deposits subject to check. The preference will be determined by considerations of profit. Now what reason is there for thinking that the banks will pay 5 per cent for the purpose of extending credit in the form of notes rather than in the form of deposits subject to check? If the collateral is not sufficient to warrant giving credit subject to check, how does it become sufficient to warrant the issue of notes at a cost of 5 per cent?

Congressman Fowler also points out that if the stringency became so great and interest rates so high as to induce such emergency issues, the withdrawal would cause a terrible contraction. Secretary Shaw in his Chicago speech said that these issues should be "retired at will or by direction of the comptroller by the deposit of an equal amount of lawful money with the sub-treasury." Thus to take up the emergency issue an equal amount of the ordinary currency would have to be withdrawn from circulation. The effect upon credit Congressman Fowler thinks would be multiplied five-fold, and he says the attempt "would prove a most disastrous experiment." The dangers of this feature of the scheme are so obvious that many who favor it couple with it a provision that the government shall issue bonds into which this emergency circulation shall be converted, arguing that the 5 per cent tax will indemnify the government for the expense, but anything of that sort is out of the question as a legislative proposition. No amount of argument would ever reconcile the people to the creation of government debt for the convenience of the banks.

When it is considered that any currency legislation proposed goes to Congressman Fowler's committee, it is plain that such a scheme as Secretary Shaw outlined will have a rocky road to travel. His speech is an indication that administration policy is still unsettled.

Bryan's New Attitude.

Bryan's acceptance of John H. Clarke lacks enthusiasm, but it is nevertheless an acceptance, and is, therefore, important to the Democratic party. "I would have preferred the nomination of some one who had been active and earnest in the support of all the planks of our platform," said Mr. Bryan in a formal statement. On the money question Bryan asserts that he believes Clarke was "grievously in error in 1896." "But," declares the Nebraskan, "to oppose him because of his action in 1896, in spite of the fact that he helped us heartily in 1900, in spite of the fact that he has supported Johnson in all his reforms, in spite of the fact that he is now helping us on everything except one phase of one question, and in spite of the fact that on that question I believe his sympathies will lead him to our side when he thoroughly understands the subject—to oppose him, I say, in spite of these things, would be unreasonable and unjust." Mr. Bryan has not in the past, however, failed to make adherence to free silver the paramount test of fitness for a place on a Democratic ticket, and if he now accepts as a fit candidate a man who is on record that the free coinage proposition "means an absolute breaking of all honest ties between man and man," it is more likely that it is because he finds the Democratic party rapidly drifting away from him than because he at heart believes any such rubbish as that Clarke's "sympathies will lead him to our (Bryan's) side when he thoroughly understands the subject." Doubtless Mr. Clarke understands the subject as well now as he ever did, and it is not likely that he is preparing to devote himself to the cause of free silver at a time when his party is accommodating itself to the belief he expressed in opposition to Bryan and the cardinal plank of Bryan's platform in 1896. Indeed, at Napoleon, O., on September 1, he declared that he did not support Bryan in 1896 because "after a careful consideration of the issues during that campaign I reluctantly decided that it was not to the best interests of my country that we should have the free and unlimited coinage of silver." And he concluded: "This is my record and I have nothing to be sorry for and nothing to apologize for." In the light of this it would appear that Bryan's profession of hope concerning Clarke is for the mere purpose of covering his own retreat, and that his retreat is for the purpose of accommodating his course to the wishes of Tom L. Johnson. But after the acceptance of Clarke, who opposed him and his free silver folly, and who has nothing to be sorry for or to apologize for, Bryan cannot consistently continue his strenuous opposition to other Democrats who stood with Clarke. It looks like a change of attitude if not a change of heart, and a bid for support which has been hitherto repelled.

Economy of Meters.

Mayor Hays is the first person of prominence to object to the introduction of water meters. His plea is that it will detract from cleanliness of premises if not of persons. The consumer, paying by meter, will, in the opinion of the mayor, economize beyond the point of necessary use and thus the meter system will be detrimental to the community. The mayor's point is not well taken. First, because the metered service will carry a minimum rate that is large enough to cover necessary consumption. Second, because metering the service will eliminate waste and reduce the actual cost of necessary consumption.

It is a fact beyond dispute that the per capita supply now furnished is more than twice as great as the most scrupulous cleanliness demands, and domestic rates are double what they should be. There is good reason to believe that a large share of the water pumped is wasted by leakage of reservoirs and mains. A metered service would detect the leakage and point the way to stop it. That would mean public economy and lower water rates. At lower rates cleanliness would be encouraged rather than repressed.

In our account of the Cleveland water supply, recently published, it was shown that few families used enough water to exceed the minimum rate. The same result has been found in other places where meters are used. In other words, the consumers continue to pay for more water than they use. If they needed more water to secure cleanliness they would, at least, use up to the limit of the minimum rate. A majority of Pittsburghers would not suffer from filth for the sake of saving the few cents that additional gallons of water would cost at meter rates. It is possible some large institutions might try to economize at the expense of cleanliness, but the abuse would not continue long. Their patrons would attend to that. Meters are not designed to limit domestic consumption of water and never have in practice, but they will detect and prevent waste and leakage.

The Alaskan Boundary.

In the beginning the American commissioners, in the matter of fixing the Alaskan boundary, have won two points in the method of procedure. First, they have effected an organization, which the British commissioners desired to postpone to a later date, and, second, they have secured an agreement that the verbal arguments shall be completed by October 9. These points do not bear particularly upon the vital issue, but they indicate the alertness of the American representatives.

Of the real dispute it may be said the Americans have one undoubted advantage. It is that Russia and the United States exercised jurisdiction over the territory in question for 70 years without a protest being filed. Seventy years of peaceable and unquestioned possession ought to count for something in such a controversy, especially with a nation so jealous in guarding its territorial rights as is Great Britain. Of course, both England and Canada see the matter in a different light since the discovery of gold in that region. The territory has become valuable in itself and the coast rights have become valuable to the rich interior territory that is unquestionably Canadian soil. But while this fact gives the British contestants incentive to set up claims it does not in any way tend to make those claims good.

One of the least admirable traits disclosed in English history is the tendency of British authorities to discover claims to gold producing territory and adjacent navigation facilities. This cupidity was at the bottom of the Boer disturbance and led to the trouble with Venezuela for which President Cleveland demanded arbitration. In South Africa there was a contemporaneous question of public order and the progress of civilization. In the Alaskan dispute there is no such question. The United States stands for as high standard of civilization and as orderly and liberal government as Great Britain or Canada. The disputed strip has been American territory and it must continue to be American territory.

It is mentioned as an item of news, almost rising to the dignity of a sensation, that in the absence of the superintendent of police the assistant superintendent is in charge of the bureau.

With Roxburgh out of the way there are no more British dukes in the matrimonial market, but there are a few somewhat frayed and shopworn heirs presumptive ready to listen to bids.

Mr. Bryan accepts Clarke on the principle that he might do worse. He might, for instance, lose the prestige of close association with Mr. Johnson's barrel.

It is wrong to say that "the Democratic state convention failed to be equal to its opportunities." It had none. Everything was arranged for it in advance.

Secretary Shaw at least makes it clear that all the money we have is good money, and each dollar just as good as each other dollar.

The present generation gives more thought to the Alaskan boundary than a former generation devoted to the entire territory.

People who think they want to see the president by moonlight alone find that they are mistaken in their intentions.

Of course, it was Col. Guffey's convention, but it doesn't necessarily follow that the colonel is altogether proud of it.

The sultan's explanation that he is sorry things are not different doesn't make the whole world kin.

The cordial welcome for Sir Thomas will hold good at all seasons regardless of wind and weather.

American duchesses are becoming too numerous to be worth more than mere mention.

The owners of the fusion party might renew the old promises and let it go at that.

Isn't it about time for Europe to remark to the sultan that it's his move?

The Balkans continue to be the enemy's country for almost everyone.

Tom Johnson and Bryan seem to take each other seriously.

Wall street is wondering what has become of the people.

An Idiotic Canard.

A peculiarly absurd form of attack upon the Roosevelt administration is the assertion that the president's action in urging legislation for the curbing of trusts is primarily responsible for the recent shrinkage in Wall street securities. Every man who has paid intelligent attention to the events of the past two years knows, says the Philadelphia Bulletin, that the craze for forming corporations of all sorts has resulted in the printing of an enormous volume of stocks and bonds, some of which have represented real value, but many of which capitalized expectation rather than achievement. It was inevitable that the process of squeezing water out of this mass of paper should come about sooner or later. That it has occurred by a steady process, without anything resembling a violent commercial panic, is reason for congratulation. Relentless economic laws are responsible for this, and it is ridiculous to charge any public official with accountability in the matter.

Tyranny of Monopolists.

Now it is given out that tramps are to be barred from all the railroad lines controlled by E. H. Harriman. One at a time all the poor man's chances are being taken away from him in this country. We may expect a stormy protest at once from the Amalgamated Association of the Sons of Rest.—Salt Lake Herald.

IN THE EYE OF FAME.

Santos-Dumont is going to Brazil to restore his broken health, and the experiments with military automobile balloons have been postponed.

Edward Martyn of Tullyra, the author of "The Heather Field," and an enthusiastic admirer of the music of Palestrina, has contributed $50,000 for the maintenance of a choir in the Roman Catholic cathedral of Dublin.

J. H. Hofmeyr of Afrikander Bond fame, and for many years the leader of the Dutch party in Cape Colony, has informed an interviewer that he has retired from political life.

Ex-Mayor Charles Buls of Brussels has come to America to deliver a course of lectures, one series of which will be on the Congo Free State in relation to the recent attacks of the English and German public against the administration of King Leopold. It is also expected that he will lecture on the principles and problems of municipal art.

Maj. Seely is the only lifeboat man in the house of commons. He is the ruling spirit of the Isle of Wight crew, where the men think highly of him. He deserves their good opinion, for he brought glory upon their boat by swimming from it to a sinking French vessel with a lifeline. This brought the thanks of the French government to the crew in general and the gallant young major in particular.

YE LIFTING OF YE CUPPE.

(A. D. 2003.)

Ye Duke of Shamrock paced ye coast
Beside ye Irish main,
And thus unto his son made boast
How he renown did gain.

Aloft, he said, Faine's tankard fling,
And of contentment sup,
While I in joyous language sing
Ye lifting of ye Cuppe.

Sir Tummus No. 1 essayed
In vain that prize to lift,
So that ye stout endeavor made
Muck havoc with his thrift.

Of worldly goods, I ween, he had
A goodly overflow;
It made ye shipwrights feel right glad
When he coughed up ye dough.

Yet haply on ye other side
Ye Cuppe had always stayed,
But good Sir Tummus e'er he died
Married a Yankee maid.

That union was with sea dogs blest
Of Lipton's sail-on line,
Who ne'er forgot their founder's quest
A-sailing o'er ye brine.

And year by year ye Cuppe they sought
In vain across ye sea,
Until at last ye people thought
It could not lifted be.

In jovial mood men jeered and sniffed,
And said it was absurd;
Yet I at last ye Cuppe did lift,
With Shamrock XXXIII.

Ye Eagle Bird did proudly glide,
With Yankee cunning wrought,
When I upon ye other side
Ye longed-for trophy sought.

Right gallantly she cut ye brine;
But I upon ye shore
Did push ye Shamrock o'er ye line
With wireless trolley power.

And when ye Yankee cried "A fluke!"
It did not vex me, pon;
For I was shortly made a duke
Because ye Cuppe I won.

And you shall have, when I am dead,
Ye Cuppe to hold for life,
Thanks to ye craft inherited
From good Sir Tummus' wife.

In gentle breeze or howling blast,
Guard well that relic. Zounds!
That beastly rag from first to last
Has cost ten million pounds.

—William Tipton Talbott.

The Quiet Observer.

By ERASMUS WILSON.

"A whole lot of fellows all we've got to die from the war is all over, sure 'nuff," observed Col. Watt in an effort to bring a reluctant reminiscence of the war of the rebellion to a satisfactory close.

Col. Watt had been in Lee's army from start to finish, while the Yankee in the case had been with Sherman. The issue between these two veterans was not as to the right of the south to make war, nor as to the fighting qualities of the men, but rather as to which army put down the war, the eastern or western.

The valiant colonel contended that Lee and Grant were the truly great soldiers, really, and the success or failure of the government was entirely with them. And it appeared clear to us that whatever real fighting occurred during the war was between these worthies.

Of course the western army men had something to say about Atlanta, the march to the sea, and the walk up through the Carolinas, which led Lee to the conclusion that further resistance was useless.

Only yesterday the "Hundred Fifty-five" held a meeting in Kennywood, at which it was clearly shown who finished the war. Soldiers are modest, as you know, and while no one named the particular regiment that did the business, it was so left that it was an easy guess.

It was a great, good meeting, as you may see by glancing at the account of it given elsewhere.

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Only a short while ago the Round Heads met a Wampum and fought the war all over from start to finish. There are not many of that regiment left to tell the tale, but those that are left can tell it all right, and no doubt they can tell who is responsible for the surrender of Lee and Johnston, but out of deference to the feelings of Hundred Fifty-five and others, they refrain from mentioning a particular regiment.

About this time Dan McCook's brigade met at Steubenville, together with some of the "fighting 23d." Any one who attended that meeting cannot be in doubt as to who knocked the underpinning out and caused the war to collapse. The facts and figures were there, together with diagrams showing how it was done.

They claimed out at Kennywood yesterday that diagrams, facts and such things were not needed for the regiment to prove all it claims. It is well to be so certain of a thing as not to need facts and figures and diagrams. Indeed they are very bothersome at times, and have been known to spoil really good stories, and to knock the biggest sort of claims galley-west.

However, that isn't why Hundred Fifty-five brushes them aside, nor is it necessary to give their reason for it. In fact, it is sometimes that does not concern the public, and it couldn't understand, even with the aid of diagrams. It is enough to know some things without telling how you know them.

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But the war is over—has been over a good while—but as Col. West observed, a whole lot of old soldiers will have to die before it is over sure enough. The fighting at present is bloodless, yet decidedly fierce at times.

Along about harvest time some of the boys recall the wheatfields at Gettysburg, and tell the fellow riding on a binder that he doesn't know what redhot harvesting is. Of course, he thinks he does, but when the veteran tells him how they worked in the wheatfields on those hot July days, not even taking time to celebrate the Fourth, the fellow on the binder concedes that he much prefers the way of harvesting to having the grain cut down with bullets.

The men stick up for their team and move on, not caring to hear harvesting stories like that; nor that they are not thrilling—interesting, but you know yourself that a fellow doesn't relish a story that he can't match.

Wouldn't it make some of our farmers open their eyes to drive into a wheat patch like that which the boys drove into down yonder? Hornets' nests and yellow jackets wouldn't be in it; nor is there any telling where these farmers would be when the dinner horn blowed—maybe some of them never would come back, the same as when the boys were out in Gettysburg field.

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Well, why not let 'em fight the war over as many times as they like? They fought through it once, and if they like it well enough to go through it again, and again, to their minds, and to their hearts, too, they have a right to do so, and there is no power on earth that can prevent them, and the powers above won't.

So, there you are, and if there be any who don't care for battles fought around the campfire, or out in a shady grove, or even in a cozy corner anywhere, they are to be pitied, for the probabilities are that the boys will keep it up until they tumble into the last ditch, for that was always their way.

And when all have gone in answer the last and final roll call on Jason's eternal camping ground, their stories will be repeated by others, and with more or less exaggeration, perhaps, a thing they would greatly deprecate. This should not be allowed, for the stories will hardly stand being stretched much more than they have been already, and if anyone is to get credit for further stretching the boys should have it themselves. If they hadn't been there, and hadn't seen, or experienced the facts in these stories, they never would have been told, for no storymaker has ever lived, or ever will live who can invent stories that can hold a candle to them.

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You young chaps may not know it—of course, you don't—but it is a fact that these reunions, this going through campaigns again, and meeting comrades whom they haven't seen for years—maybe not since the war closed—makes the boys feel younger, and better satisfied with themselves, and with everybody, and even with God.

You may not be able to discover anything in that old canteen, but they can.

There are bonds of all sorts in this world of ours,
Fetters of friendship and ties of flowers,
And true lover's knotz, I ween;
The girl and the boy are bound by a kiss,
But there's never a bond, old friend, like this;
We have drunk from the same canteen!

It was sometimes water and sometimes milk,
And sometimes apple-jack fine as silk;
But whatever the liquid has been,
We shared it together in bane or bliss,
And I warn to you, friend, when I think of this—
We have drunk from the same canteen!

The rich and the great sit down to dine,
And they quaff to each other in sparkling wine,
From glasses of crystal and green;
But I guess in their golden possessions they take
The warmth of regard to be found in this—
We have drunk from the same canteen!

We have shared our blankets and tent together
And have marched and fought in all kinds of weather,
And hungry and full we have been;
Had days of battle and days of rest,
But this memory I cling to and love the best,
We have drunk from the same canteen!

For when wounded I lay on the outer siege,
With my blood flowing fast and but little hope
Upon which my faint spirit could lean;
Oh! then, I remember, you crawled to my side,
And bleeding so fast it seemed both must have died,
We drank from the same canteen!

—Miles O'Reilly.

As to Harmful Fiction.

The Citizens' Mutual Alliance of Chicago has sworn out warrants for 20 book dealers who are accused of selling lurid literature to boys. While the ban is limited to tales of the Diamond Dick and Nick Carter type, it is admitted that many of the popular novels should be put on the blacklist. Owing to the fact that few small boys purchase these "best selling" books that have a distinctly low moral tone, no effort has been made to interfere with the distribution of much of the fiction that may properly be labelled "dangerous."

This discrimination seems, says the Milwaukee Sentinel, to be manifestly unfair. Compared with some of the latest sex problem novels Diamond Dick and Nick Carter literature is uplifting and ennobling. It can be said safely that at least 25 per cent of the readers of current fiction are immature girls. Through books that receive commendatory reviews in the literary columns of newspapers and the pages of magazines the young women of the land imbibe ideas and ideals that have a most debasing influence. The latter day fiction vice is guided so attractively that unconsciously low standards of life are accepted by impressionable minds. Four-fifths of this year's novels deal with illicit love or ignoble life. Compared with books of this type the average dime novel is a harmless as the Decalogue of Hives compared to that of smallpox.

Talked of in New York

GEORGE C. JENKS.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—In talking over the local politics, which is a live subject in New York, as it is everywhere, a comment came to be made nowadays to on the chances of W. R. Hearst. There are many persons here who believe that he will be the Democratic nominee for the presidency and the reasons given for the belief are incontrovertible worthy of respect. A more popular man does not exist in this city. Democratic, good-hearted and generous, he has the confidence of people temperamental by the conversation of one who has led a busy life, and mixed with all sorts and conditions of men. He is only 41 years of age, and if he should find his way to the White House in 1904, as many of his friends think he will, he will be the youngest president the nation ever had. One of his supporters was saying to me this afternoon that Mr. Hearst's position was particularly strong now, because, while the acknowledged advocate of the workingmen, he is regarded as a capitalist who can trust that he has the confidence of investors more or less. He has four large newspapers, besides many factories and other great enterprises in the west. That he is a representative American no one can deny, while his personal appearance is something remarkable. He typified representative is a Pittsburgher.

An Exception to the Rule.

Some time ago a writer was posted up all over the lobbies of the Journal building in Park row forbidding the use of cigars and cigarettes by any member of the staff of the paper. One evening Mr. Hearst dropped into the telegraph room to talk over the wire with the managing editor of his Chicago paper, the American. A telegrapher who had been enjoying a cigarette hastily dropped it into a cuspidor. Hearst smiled quietly, as he went on dictating his message for the wire. The telegrapher circled away at his key, doing his work skillfully, but without the solace of the cigarette, and probably regretting that he had thrown it away. He was not sure whether Hearst had seen it or not. At the end of the wire conversation Hearst leaned over to the operator and whispered "My boy, smoke all the cigarettes you want, but be careful not to set the place afire. Those notices are put there merely as a reminder of danger. No one is finding enough to suppose that men can get along without a smoke at their work." That was all, but it made another friend for W. R. Hearst, and it was a fair illustration of the easy way this young multimillionaire draws people toward him without half trying.

Cassatt and the Courts.

President Cassatt of the Pennsylvania railroad has good reason for his attitude of puzzled amazement the morning after the court had ordered the acquittal of the 12 officials of the North Jersey Street Railway Company on the charge of manslaughter growing out of the fatal collision at Newark last February. Mr. Cassatt has worked diligently at removing the danger of grade crossings for a number of years. In view of this fact he said that he considered he had held a remarkable position before the court and the group of persons who heard his comments agreed with him.

Parks Will Be the Star Attraction.

Preparations are waxing for Labor day. The procession of workmen is expected to be the largest ever seen in this city. Sam Parks will head it, according to present arrangements. It was unexpectedly suggested today that the 12 jurymen who cast lots to King Ring and whose verdict has been practically set aside by his release shall ride or walk immediately behind him.

Had the Nerve to Do His Duty.

Nerve is a necessary requisite in the make-up of a secret service man. The editor who unhesitatingly jumped between the wheels of the buggy in which the crack of Sagamore hill was driving at lightning speed took a chance of being smashed to atoms. But it was his duty to stop the vehicle and he did it.

Coin for the Philippines.

Money talks in the Philippines, as it does in all countries even half civilized. So Uncle Sam is sending money to Manila by the shipload. More than 500 kegs of centavos, 50-centavos and peso coins to New York today from the Philadelphia mint and were placed aboard vessels bound for the Philippine with just as fast as possible. This is the largest consignment of coin yet made to the islands from this country.

Flurry on Cotton Exchange.

The bell weevil scare was discounted in the cotton exchange today. When the government report showing that the cotton crop was much better than the bulls had declared it to be was read there was a wild scramble with a slump in prices. The market did not last long, because the bull wizard had been only half accepted at any time, but it was fierce while it did continue. No failures are likely from the flurry, the experts say.

No Enthusiasm Aroused.

Although Bellamy had all the way in the world here today there was not a cheer to be heard from the few persons watching the newspaper bulletins. The number of watchers was so small that it hardly could have raised a respectable yell. Besides, most of the persons standing opposite the newspaper offices were politicians, and they never cheer anything—except "Big Bill" Devery.

McClellan Will Be Named.

George B. McClellan will be the unanimous choice for mayor of the Democratic city convention, according to reports this afternoon. He has been the favorite of the Tammany boss, Charles F. Murphy, from the first, but there has been the objection that he might be looked on as a "yellow dog" or Cushing type of candidate. That that would mean certain defeat, in the present temper of New Yorkers, has been conceded even by rabid Tammanyites. It is said now, however, that McClellan has been decided on and that his nomination will take place as a matter of course.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

Waldorf-Astoria.
C. Cowen, Jr.
J. McCrea.
W. H. Frew.
A. E. Fraser.

Manhattan.
H. H. Moore.
Mrs. J. A. Thorne.
J. D. Spalding.
Mrs. Spalding.
Miss Anna Spalding.
Miss Margery Spalding.
Paul Spalding.
A. D. Spalding.
A. P. McDonald.
Miss W. F. Bowers.

Plaza.
H. C. Tuttle.

Vendome.
Mrs. M. J. Seymour.

Murray Hill.
F. G. Brown.

Holland.
W. H. Parks.
H. H. Lloyd.

Fifth Avenue.
C. C. Wells.
Miss Wells.
Mrs. H. C. Jones.
The Misses Jones.
H. L. Hine.
H. C. Hine.
Miss Kate Dodd.

Herald Square.
S. W. Mendel.
F. C. Kuehn.

Darlington.
Mrs. D. F. Gallagher.
Miss A. J. Wilson.

Grand Union.
G. Gates.

St. George.
H. G. Fraker.

Marlton.
M. J. Padden.

Astor.
M. F. Inbusch.
H. C. Ruhl.

Westminster.
J. H. Beers.

St. Denis.
H. F. Morrow.
Miss E. A. Morrow.
Miss Cassidy.
Miss Dravo.

Manhattan.
F. D. Jones.
Miss Jones.

Sherman.
H. G. Fowler.

Ashland.
W. K. Shafer.

Cosmopolitan.
F. Hamilton.
W. F. Walsh.

Broadway Central.
J. Dyer.
J. D. York.
Mrs. Dyer.
Mrs. Reed.
H. Wallace.
Mrs. Jackson.

Imperial.
W. McKee.

Gerard.
Harry A. Hall.

Hoffman.
J. H. Tinsdale.

A Suggestion.

What the country editors would like to know is whether Mr. Pulitzer's school of journalism will teach their new and more successful method of stuffing collections from the delinquent subscribers.—Topeka State Journal.

Talked of in New York

GEORGE C. JENKS.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—In talking over the local politics, which is a live subject in New York, as it is everywhere, a comment came to be made nowadays to on the chances of W. R. Hearst. There are many persons here who believe that he will be the Democratic nominee for the presidency and the reasons given for the belief are incontrovertible worthy of respect. A more popular man does not exist in this city. Democratic, good-hearted and generous, he has the confidence of people temperamental by the conversation of one who has led a busy life, and mixed with all sorts and conditions of men. He is only 41 years of age, and if he should find his way to the White House in 1904, as many of his friends think he will, he will be the youngest president the nation ever had. One of his supporters was saying to me this afternoon that Mr. Hearst's position was particularly strong now, because, while the acknowledged advocate of the workingmen, he is regarded as a capitalist who can trust that he has the confidence of investors more or less. He has four large newspapers, besides many factories and other great enterprises in the west. That he is a representative American no one can deny, while his personal appearance is something remarkable. He typified representative is a Pittsburgher.

An Exception to the Rule.

Some time ago a writer was posted up all over the lobbies of the Journal building in Park row forbidding the use of cigars and cigarettes by any member of the staff of the paper. One evening Mr. Hearst dropped into the telegraph room to talk over the wire with the managing editor of his Chicago paper, the American. A telegrapher who had been enjoying a cigarette hastily dropped it into a cuspidor. Hearst smiled quietly, as he went on dictating his message for the wire. The telegrapher circled away at his key, doing his work skillfully, but without the solace of the cigarette, and probably regretting that he had thrown it away. He was not sure whether Hearst had seen it or not. At the end of the wire conversation Hearst leaned over to the operator and whispered "My boy, smoke all the cigarettes you want, but be careful not to set the place afire. Those notices are put there merely as a reminder of danger. No one is finding enough to suppose that men can get along without a smoke at their work." That was all, but it made another friend for W. R. Hearst, and it was a fair illustration of the easy way this young multimillionaire draws people toward him without half trying.

Cassatt and the Courts.

President Cassatt of the Pennsylvania railroad has good reason for his attitude of puzzled amazement the morning after the court had ordered the acquittal of the 12 officials of the North Jersey Street Railway Company on the charge of manslaughter growing out of the fatal collision at Newark last February. Mr. Cassatt has worked diligently at removing the danger of grade crossings for a number of years. In view of this fact he said that he considered he had held a remarkable position before the court and the group of persons who heard his comments agreed with him.

Parks Will Be the Star Attraction.

Preparations are waxing for Labor day. The procession of workmen is expected to be the largest ever seen in this city. Sam Parks will head it, according to present arrangements. It was unexpectedly suggested today that the 12 jurymen who cast lots to King Ring and whose verdict has been practically set aside by his release shall ride or walk immediately behind him.

Had the Nerve to Do His Duty.

Nerve is a necessary requisite in the make-up of a secret service man. The editor who unhesitatingly jumped between the wheels of the buggy in which the crack of Sagamore hill was driving at lightning speed took a chance of being smashed to atoms. But it was his duty to stop the vehicle and he did it.

Coin for the Philippines.

Money talks in the Philippines, as it does in all countries even half civilized. So Uncle Sam is sending money to Manila by the shipload. More than 500 kegs of centavos, 50-centavos and peso coins to New York today from the Philadelphia mint and were placed aboard vessels bound for the Philippine with just as fast as possible. This is the largest consignment of coin yet made to the islands from this country.

Flurry on Cotton Exchange.

The bell weevil scare was discounted in the cotton exchange today. When the government report showing that the cotton crop was much better than the bulls had declared it to be was read there was a wild scramble with a slump in prices. The market did not last long, because the bull wizard had been only half accepted at any time, but it was fierce while it did continue. No failures are likely from the flurry, the experts say.

No Enthusiasm Aroused.

Although Bellamy had all the way in the world here today there was not a cheer to be heard from the few persons watching the newspaper bulletins. The number of watchers was so small that it hardly could have raised a respectable yell. Besides, most of the persons standing opposite the newspaper offices were politicians, and they never cheer anything—except "Big Bill" Devery.

McClellan Will Be Named.

George B. McClellan will be the unanimous choice for mayor of the Democratic city convention, according to reports this afternoon. He has been the favorite of the Tammany boss, Charles F. Murphy, from the first, but there has been the objection that he might be looked on as a "yellow dog" or Cushing type of candidate. That that would mean certain defeat, in the present temper of New Yorkers, has been conceded even by rabid Tammanyites. It is said now, however, that McClellan has been decided on and that his nomination will take place as a matter of course.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

Waldorf-Astoria.
C. Cowen, Jr.
J. McCrea.
W. H. Frew.
A. E. Fraser.

Manhattan.
H. H. Moore.
Mrs. J. A. Thorne.
J. D. Spalding.
Mrs. Spalding.
Miss Anna Spalding.
Miss Margery Spalding.
Paul Spalding.
A. D. Spalding.
A. P. McDonald.
Miss W. F. Bowers.

Plaza.
H. C. Tuttle.

Vendome.
Mrs. M. J. Seymour.

Murray Hill.
F. G. Brown.

Holland.
W. H. Parks.
H. H. Lloyd.

Fifth Avenue.
C. C. Wells.
Miss Wells.
Mrs. H. C. Jones.
The Misses Jones.
H. L. Hine.
H. C. Hine.
Miss Kate Dodd.

Herald Square.
S. W. Mendel.
F. C. Kuehn.

Darlington.
Mrs. D. F. Gallagher.
Miss A. J. Wilson.

Grand Union.
G. Gates.

St. George.
H. G. Fraker.

Marlton.
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MANSLAUGHTER NOT SUSTAINED

Jury Acquit Officials of the North Jersey Street Railway.

VERDICT ORDERED BY COURT

Chief Justice Gummere Said Prosecution Had Not Shown That Defendants Failed to Perform Some Specific Act for Which They Were Responsible.

[By Associated Press To The Gazette.]

NEWARK, N. J., Sept. 3.—Chief Justice Gummere, in the Essex county court of oyer and terminer today announced that he had decided to grant the motion for the dismissal of the indictment for manslaughter against the directors and officials of the North Jersey Street Railway Company, who were accused of having, by alleged neglect of their duties, caused the death of Ernestine Miller. Miss Miller, who was a high school pupil, was killed with eight others in the Clifton avenue crossing accident on February 10.

The motion to dismiss the indictment was made at the trial yesterday by Richard V. Lindabury, of counsel for the defendants. In instructing the jury to find a verdict of not guilty, the chief justice said that in order to hold the defendants criminally responsible it must be shown that they had failed to perform some specific act. This the state has failed to do, he said.

The chief justice then went on to state that the claim of the state that the derailing switch is universally in use was not proved, as statistics showed that less than 10 per cent of the trolley crossings over steam roads' tracks were provided with derailing switches. That, the chief justice said, left it a question whether other safeguards were not equally good.

The chief justice then referred to the rules of the North Jersey Street Railway Company as laid down to its employes as sufficient safeguards under ordinary circumstances, if they had been carried out. He said that from the evidence it was apparent that if sand had been used as called for by the rules, had the car been stopped 30 feet from the crossing, as the rules called for, and had the conductor gone ahead to the crossing to signal the motorman, the accident would not have happened.

Justices Van Syckle and Dixon concurred in the opinion of Chief Justice Gummere. The furymen announced a verdict of not guilty without leaving their seats.

The defendants were John D. Crimmins of New York, A. J. Cassatt of Philadelphia, E. F. C. Young of Jersey City and Dr. Leslie D. Ward, Elisha B. Gaddis and J. Roosevelt Shanley of Newark, all members of the executive committee of the board of directors of the North Jersey Street Railway Company; David Young, formerly general superintendent; Charles M. Shipman, former superintendent; Arthur M. Pratt, roadmaster; James Smith, division superintendent, and Richard Eick, assistant division superintendent of the road.

EXPO NOW IN FULL SWING WITH MUSIC AND MIRTH

Creatore Thrills Audiences With His Renditions—Shower Bath a Feature.

The newly opened exposition buildings were crowded all afternoon yesterday with public school children, their parents and friends, while at night a magnificently groomed and keenly appreciative audience taxed the music hall for the Creatore concerts; and on every hand were heard words of delighted comment on the complete fulfillment of every promise made by the management and upon the high excellence of the displays.

At 5:30 o'clock last night the first public shower-bath demonstration took place before an enormous gathering of interested spectators. The subjects were a young athlete and a handsome woman, both attired in silken rubber suits of perfect cut and fit. At the conclusion of the performance there was hearty applause at this unique feature.

The music yesterday was "con amore" with Creatore, who had been keyed to highest possible tension by the overwhelming ovation accorded him on the opening night and gave reflex of his buoyancy in all the interpretations. A rendition not soon to be forgotten was Chopin's famous funeral march. That sombre introduction was magnificent even in its massive gloom and reached climaxes that were bone-cutting in their poignancy, while the trio was made wonderfully beautiful by its contrasting fluency. The audiences were truly moved by Creatore's splendid reading. Today children will again be in evidence and Creatore will give his first Wagner program, as follows:

2 P. M.

March, "Columbus" ..... Creatore
Overture, "Orpheus" ..... Offenbach
Funeral March ..... Chopin
Grand Selection "La sonnambula" ..... Bellini
Solos by Signori Pierno, Groce and Iafisco.

4 P. M.

Signore Croce, Trombone.
March, "Baltimore Centennial" ..... Herbert
Prelude, "Lohengrin" ..... Wagner
Trombone Solo, "Cujus Animan" from "Stabat Mater" ..... Rossini
Signor Croce.
Gems of Stephen Foster ..... Tobani

PERSONALS

Joseph Howard, a veteran, arrived in the city yesterday morning to attend the reunion of the One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Pennsylvania volunteers. When seen last evening at the Union station he said he enjoyed the day very much, but was very bitter against a conductor on the line which runs to Kennywood park. "When I arrived in the city," said he, "I inquired the way to the park. I was told to take a Kennywood car, which I did. I rode a long distance to a point which, I since learned, was the approach to the bridge crossing the Monongahela river. I heard the conductor ask if any person desired to transfer. I asked him if the car following would take me to my destination and he answered yes. Giving me a transfer, I got off the car and took the one following. After riding several minutes the conductor called out 'The end of the line.' I got off and asked the way to Kennywood. After making inquiries I found out the first conductor misdirected me, and I had to pay additional fare to reach the park, besides being late nearly an hour in getting there. The reunion was a success in every particular."

Neighbors Visiting Pittsburgh.

The nearby residents registered at the local hotels last night were as follows:

Seventh Avenue—C. A. Griffen, Linesville; M. A. Brooks, Goodwill Hill; E. O. Barnes, Rebold; James A. Kelley, Benwood; J. H. Boomis, East Liverpool; I. P. Palmer, Lisbon, and John P. Taylor, Indiana.

Nicholas—J. Vlahonn, Houtzdale, and W. E. Callahan, Cleveland.

Lincoln—E. A. Kerr, Latrobe, and H. D. Townsend, Youngstown.

Anderson—H. J. Loeb, Punxsutawney, and John J. Gangham, Brighton.

Henry—A. P. Morris, Alliance; L. E. Mallery, Bradford; F. B. Dunn, Conneaut, and P. E. Cuntah, Scranton.

Duquesne—Emil A. Talfer, Titusville; J. M. St. Clair, Homer Citi, and W. W. Carman, Parker.

Griswold—John T. Reamer, Meyersdale; W. B. Seighman, Coudersport; T. M. House, Bridgeville; P. D. Stevenson, Youngstown, and William G. Miller, Harrisburg.

Newells—G. T. Smith, Latrobe.

Monongahela House—T. D. Stephenson, Connellsville; E. F. Jones, Punxsutawney; G. H. Lawson, Uniontown, and J. G. Homer, Confluence.

"Can Diamonds Be Manufactured?" Henry Neidig, in The Sunday Gazette.

WIFE NO. 2 OPENED A LETTER WRITTEN BY WIFE NO. 1

W. L. Yates of the South Side is in jail on a charge of bigamy. The information was made by Mrs. Margaret Sullivan, the mother of wife No. 2, before Alderman A. J. Bleickner, who held Yates for court.

Yates is a brakeman on the Monongahela Connecting railroad. Formerly he was connected with the Baltimore & Ohio railroad and ran into West Virginia. While making his run in that state he married Elizabeth Gordon, who lived near Morgantown. Two years later he came to the South Side and married Mary Sullivan. Three days of the week he spent with wife No. 1 in West Virginia and the rest of the week his attentions were confined to wife No. 2 on the South Side.

Yates told wife No. 1 that he boarded with Mrs. Sullivan and she addressed his letters to that house. Knowing the time of their arrival, he always received them. He told wife No. 2 they were simply business letters. Recently he lost his position with the Baltimore & Ohio railroad and spent most of his time with wife No. 2. Last week his train was late and during his absence a letter from wife No. 1 arrived. It was opened by wife No. 2 and she showed it to her mother, Mrs. Sullivan immediately wrote to wife No. 1. The answer resulted in her son-in-law's undoing. Without saying anything to him the irate mother made information against him.

When confronted with the letter from wife No. 1 Yates admitted his guilt. Yates is 30 years old. Wife No. 1 is 23 and her successor is 21.

BLUE LAW FIGHT NEARS THE END

Tacit Understanding Reached Between Rival Crusaders in Wilkinsburg.

NO PEACE MEETING HELD

Justice Walker Petitioned by Detective to Place Informations in Pigeon Hole. Opening of Quarter Sessions Court Brings Affairs to a Crisis.

This week will likely see the end of Wilkinsburg's blue law crusade. Both the church workers and the committee of five which has been hustling in behalf of the druggists have declared that they are heartily tired of the conflict. Neither party met in conference yesterday, but it was tacitly understood that no further prosecutions would be made. In the peace arrangement both sides will make concessions and both will claim the victory. If the drug stores are closed on Sunday, it is probable that the arrangement will be only temporary or will depend upon the life of the soda water season.

The committee of 12 which represents the church workers has its hands full of litigation, and unless peace is made at once, the outlay in court charges will make the price of a quiet Sunday exceedingly high. The committee of five has made 120 information charging violations of the Sunday laws. These have been pending for six weeks and the warrants will be served on the defendants immediately, should the peace proposals fail.

Want the Fight Ended.

Both committees denied that any meeting had been held yesterday or that a peace conference had been suggested. They said that they hoped the whole matter would be dropped, and declared that the newspapers alone had kept up the agitation. Nobody now seems to find fault with the borough's worldliness nor to have any dread of the inauguration of the continental Sabbath. Some declared the blue laws a boomerang and the disposition of alt agitators is to abandon the crusade and let Wilkinsburg lead its usual quiet existence.

Yesterday one of the private detectives who has been collecting information for the committee of five called at the office of Justice of the Peace J. J. Walker and asked that the 120 informations which had been sworn out against numerous violators of Sunday laws be kept in the pigeonhole. The detective said that peace would be patched up. He was told that his party must act quickly or that the warrants would be served and that ice manufacturers, automobilists, choir singers, golf players and others among the defendants would be promptly arrested.

"Just hold off a little," urged the detective. "Everything will be satisfactorily arranged tomorrow. The suits against the druggists are to be withdrawn and the committee of five's suits must be held over, too."

Regular Monday Arrests.

Informations against the druggists have been made regularly every Monday morning by the committee of 12, but the hearings have been postponed from time to time through the advice of Harry E. Carmack, attorney for the church committee. Mr. Carmack last night said:

"For several weeks but two druggists have kept their soda fountains running on Sunday. Interest in the crusade has been dying out and it was expected that all the stores would eventually close up. It has been the committee's policy for some time past to avoid continuing public interest in the matter by giving out nothing to the newspapers. The committee of 12 has practically won the victory and the druggists will be given an opportunity to retire gracefully from the field."

The committee of five, on the other hand, does not acknowledge any defeat, graceful or otherwise. Twenty-three suits which were decided against the defendants who were prosecuted by the druggists were appealed to court. They will soon be placed on the argument list in quarter sessions court, and if the fight is continued money will be required to keep up the defense. H. W. McIntosh, attorney for the committee of five, took this view of the situation:

Waiting for Advances.

"If there's any peace propositions, they will come from the Sabbatarians. Informations have been accumulating against some of those who were instrumental in fighting the druggists, and if these are pushed there doubtless will be consternation in the blue law camp."

A citizen of Wilkinsburg, who has taken no part in the controversy, said:

"It's time for the whole business to go into the pigeonhole. The annexation proposition which grew out of the fight has fizzled. Gossip has been created in the churches and some of the members have threatened to leave prominent congregations if the crusade is continued. It is time, too, for the committee of 12 to appoint a sub-committee of finance. People who took no part in the matter look upon the whole agitation as ridiculous. Wilkinsburg is one of the most orderly communities in the country and its people have the good sense to obey the laws when they are enforced within reason."

King Edward Leaves for Home.

VIENNA, Sept. 3.—King Edward left Vienna today for London. Emperor Francis Joseph accompanied him to the railroad station, where the leave-taking was most cordial.

DIED.

BALDWIN—On Thursday, September 3, 1903, at 9:15 p. m., at the residence of H. M. Baldwin, 5501 Columbo street, East End, FRANK H. BALDWIN, aged 32 years.
Interment at New Castle. Notice of funeral later.

CRAWFORD—At Tarentum, Pa., on Wednesday, September 2, 1903, at 8:30 p. m., J. B. CRAWFORD, aged 45 years.
Funeral from the residence of his father, G. F. Crawford, Kittanning, Pa., on Saturday, September 5, 1903, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

CREA—On Wednesday, September 2, 1903, at 2 p. m., MARY ANN, relict of Hugh Crea, in her 88th year.
Funeral services at her late residence, Jacobson, Pa., on Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

DALZELL—On Thursday, September 3, 1903, at her residence, Wexford, Pa., MRS. HETTIE A., wife of Robert Dalzell.
Funeral from the residence of her son, James A. Dalzell, No. 196 Southern avenue, Mt. Washington, on Saturday, September 5, 1903, at 2:30 o'clock.

DONOVAN—On Thursday, September 3, 1903, at 11 a. m., at Youngstown, O., MARY L., sister of T. C. and C. P. Donovan of Pittsburgh, Pa.
Notice of funeral later. (Scottdale and Uniontown papers please copy.)

FLETSCHER—On Thursday, September 3, 1903, at 2:30 a. m., at her residence, No. 37 Prospect street, Etna, Pa., BARBARA FLETSCHER (nee Grob), wife of Henry Fletscher, in her 52d year.
Funeral services on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

LEE—On Thursday, September 3, 1903, at 8 a. m., JOHN S. LEE, aged 80 years.
Funeral services at his late residence, 920 Lehigh avenue, East End, on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private.

PATTERSON—On Thursday, September 3, 1903, at 5 a. m., JOHN PATTERSON, member of Capt. Thomas Espy Post, No. 183, G. A. R., and Veteran Loyal Legion, in his 76th year.
Funeral services will be held at his late residence, No. 201 Railroad avenue, Carnegie, Pa., on Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment at Melrose cemetery, Bridgeville, Pa.

RICHARDS—Suddenly at Carnegie, Pa., September 3, 1903, MARTIN W. RICHARDS, of diabetes, aged 62 years. In addition to his widow he is survived by two sons, Ross A. of Washington, Pa., and Martin H. of Harrisburg, Pa. Also four daughters, Mrs. Charles Bayer, Boston, Mass.; Mrs. L. G. Mong, Erie, Pa.; Mrs. D. B. Noble, Erie, Pa., and Miss Daisy, at the family home at Harrisburg, Pa. The body will be taken to Harrisburg today for burial.
[Harrisburg (Pa.) papers please copy.]

SHOOP—HENRY EICHER, only son of Addison and Mellta Eicher Shoop, aged 4 months, 21 days.
Funeral from the residence of his grandfather, J. Eicher, 1307 Boyle street, Allegheny, this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment private.

SNYDER—On Thursday morning, September 3, 1903, at the Soldiers' National home, Dayton, O., GEORGE W., husband of Mary Snyder, Pittsburgh, in his 79th year. George W. Snyder served during the civil war in Company F, Second West Virginia regiment.
Funeral services at the Soldiers' home, Dayton, O., today.

WELTY—At Irwin, Pa., on Thursday, morning, September 3, 1903, MISS EMMA, daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Welty.
Funeral services at the family residence, Saturday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock. Interment private.

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HIGH COMMISSIONERS OF TWO NATIONS MEET TO FIX THE ALASKAN BOUNDARY LINE

United States Claims Present Dispute Is Due to Great Britain's Cupidity for Klondike Gold Field.

AMERICANS THE FIRST TO SCORE

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

LONDON, Sept. 3.—The Alaskan boundary commissioners held their first meeting today in the conference room of the foreign office. Prior to the formal assembling the commissioners met in their private conference room and selected Reginald T. Tower, of the British diplomatic service, formerly attached to the legation at Washington, and recently minister to Haiti, to be secretary of the commission. J. R. Carter, second secretary of the United States embassy, and Mr. Pope, a representative of the Canadian government, were appointed assistant secretaries. Lord Chief Justice Alverstone was subsequently chosen chairman of the commission.

It was announced that oral arguments would commence September 15, and Lord Alverstone expresses the hope that they would be finished by October 9.

The conference room of the foreign office, where the commissioners met, is the choicest apartment in the British public buildings. It is a magnificent salon and has been the scene of many notable gatherings. At the end of the room a platform had been constructed and on it was a long desk with a blue covering. Behind this desk were six comfortable chairs, which were occupied by the commissioners, whose international reputations emphasized the importance of the occasion.

Elihu Root and Lord Alverstone sat in the center. Separate tables were provided for counsel. Canadian counsel were the first to arrive in the chamber. They were followed by John W. Foster, former secretary of state, and his assistants, who were accompanied by Ambassador Choate. The commissioners came in a few minutes later.

A few minutes after 11 o'clock the commission took their seats, Senator Turner on the extreme right, then Prof. Sir Louis Gaite, formerly of the superior court of Quebec, lieutenant governor of the province of Quebec and professor of civil law, Mr. Root, Lord Alverstone, Senator Lodge, A. B. Aylesworth, who succeeded the late Justice Armour of Canada on the commission; Mr. Foster, and Clifford Sifton, Canadian minister of the interior. The agents of the respective governments sat at desks on the extreme right and left of the commission, while counsel and the stenographers occupied desks facing the commissioners.

The commission decided to sit five days per week, commencing September 15, and, excluding Saturdays, to be in session from 11 a. m. to 4 p. m. daily, and granted permission for a limited number of representatives of the press to attend the sittings.

In order that the presentation of the cases may be exhaustive, it has been arranged that three of counsel for each government shall make arguments, the British opening and being followed alternately by Americans and British, the former securing the advantage of delivering the closing argument.

The commission then removed the injunction of secrecy on all documents hitherto exchanged and the sitting was adjourned, the commissioners, agents and counsel proceeding to the quadrangle, where they were photographed.

The documents covering the American presentation of the case are comprised in three volumes, making a total of about 1,100 pages. In addition there are also two volumes of maps. In the first volume the questions at issue, namely, what is intended to be the point of commencement of the line of demarkation between the United States and Canada, what is the Portland channel, what course the line should take to the entrance of that channel; to what point of the 56th parallel the line should be drawn from the head of Portland channel, and other familiar questions discussed.

Russia's Cession Discussed.

There also is extensive discussion of the extent of the strip of territory along the coast on the mainland that Russia conveyed to the United States by the treaty of 1867. It appears from the document that Great Britain concedes that the line begins at Cape Muzon.

The United States contends that it was the intention of the powers which signed the treaty of 1825 to confirm in full sovereignty to Russia a continuous strip along the northwest coast of America, extending from Portland channel to the 141st meridian of longitude west of Greenwich, and that such a strip was to be 10 marine leagues, measured from the heads of all gulfs and other arms of the sea, unless there was within that distance a range of mountains. The contention is further made that there is no such mountain range. It also is urged that the United States has occupied this strip of territory ever since its acquisition from Russia and that Russia had controlled it since the treaty of 1825, until ceded to the United States in 1867.

To its counter-statement the American commission makes rejoinder to points covered in the presentation of the British side of the case. The additional evidence referred to bears upon the negotiations which took place between Great Britain and Russia during the years 1823 to 1825. These documents consist largely of statements made and letters written by Mr. Pelly, who was at that time deputy governor of the Hudson Bay Company, and it is contended that his letters fully sustain the assertion that in fixing a line of demarkation the British government acted solely in the interests of that company.

Deny Protests Were Filed.

The commissioners discuss at some length the claim made by their opponents that many protests have been filed by British officials against the American claim in reference to the boundary line. They admit that from time to time there have been informal representations but these they assert were in the main without sufficient data to justify serious consideration. Indeed they say that never until after the Klondike gold discoveries were made in 1896, did the British government take up the question seriously.

They admit that in 1898 attention was called to the claim of the British government that the ten-league strip extended but they say that this contention was not made absolutely clear until the British case was delivered to the present tribunal on the 2d of May, last. In support of the American contention that the strip should measure from tide water and from the heads of bays and inlets, a number of depositions are produced in connection with the counter case going to show the occupation of this strip by settlers from the United States since 1860.

Special effort is directed toward showing the control of the country about the head of Lynn canal, including the sites of the towns of Dyea, Skagway, White Pass and Lake Bennett. It also is stated that numerous documents have been preserved which had been given to Indian chiefs, and others by officials of the United States, showing the presence in the Lynn canal inlets of naval and other authorities of the United States annually for 20 years after the United States acquired the territory. It is contended that this occupation and control were known to the Canadian government and its people.

Secret of Britain's Interest.

Considerable space is devoted to the part played by the Klondike gold discoveries in arousing great Britain's interest in the controversy and in this connection notice is taken of an assertion made by the British commissioners that the towns of Dyea and Skagway owed their existence to the migration to the Klondike. They assert on the contrary that Dyea was founded in 1886 and Skagway in 1888. They contradict flatly a contention made by the British commissioners to the effect that "Canada's claim to the territories at the head of Lynn canal was at the time well-known to the United States government."

Mr. Root and Senator Lodge left London tonight for Lord Robert's country house in Surrey. Senator Lodge will tomorrow go to Paris, where he will join his wife. He will remain there until September 11. After a week-end visit to Lord Alverstone, Mr. Root will go to Ledyard Carter's place in Scotland. Senator Turner remains in London.

Great Britain Sought Delay.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—(Special.)—Immediate organization of the commission and consent to close the oral arguments on October 8, were the two distinct and far-reaching victories scored by the United States at the first meeting of the Alaskan boundary commission in London today.

Shortly after the adjournment of the meeting, Secretary Hay received a cablegram from ex-Secretary of State John W. Foster, counsel for the United States, saying that the commission after a successful organization had adjourned to meet again September 15, that oral arguments would close October 9, and that the United States would have the closing presentation.

Although it does not appear in the dispatches from London, it was known to state department officials several days ago that the British government was using every effort to obtain a postponement of the organization of the commission until later in the month and also desired the commission to wait until the middle of October to begin the hearing of arguments.

On both points the opposing contention of the United States agents was sustained and at the state department the keenest satisfaction is expressed at the news in Mr. Foster's cablegram.

Publication of the arguments in the Alaskan boundary case but accentuates the conviction of high officials of the department of the soundness of the American case. "Impregnable," was the word applied to the arguments submitted by this government.

Uncontested for 70 Years.

Great Britain, it is pointed out, has failed to answer the main contention of the United States that "for over 70 years before the present claim of Great Britain was preferred, Russia and the United States have exercised jurisdiction over the waters and coasts in dispute."

Great Britain throughout this time has never asserted sovereignty over the territory, but in her official maps have recognized the jurisdiction of the United States over every foot of land and water which is now in dispute. While there are many other points in the case of he United States, which are equally incontrovertible, state department officials would be almost content to rest the United States case on this one argument.

ALL IS NOT PEACE IN PHILIPPINE ISLANDS

Another Revolt Among Moros Is Feared—Insurgents in Cavite Are Defeated.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

MANILA, Sept. 3.—The legislative council for the Moro province has been organized in accordance with the bill recently enacted by the Philippine commission providing for the government of the Moros. This council is composed of a governor, secretary, treasurer, engineer, attorney and superintendent of schools. The province will now be within the jurisdiction of the Philippine courts and constabulary, Moro laws being recognized when not in direct conflict with American laws.

General Leonard Wood, now president of Zamboanga who has just completed the organization of the governing council, reports a feeling of unrest among the native inhabitants of Moro province and upon his request an additional battery has been dispatched from Manila to strengthen the forces now under his command.

The Jolo constabulary have come in conflict with a body of insurgents in the province of Cavite near the Laguna de Bay and killed 20 of them during a sharp engagement. The constabulary had one man killed during the fight. Reinforcements have already left Manila for the scene of the disturbance to subdue the insurgents who have taken up a strong position in the mountains which flank the Laguna.

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PRICE OF COTTON SLUMPS SHARPLY

Government Report Showed Improvement in Condition of the Crop.

EXCITEMENT ON EXCHANGE.

Sully & Brown, Representing the Bull Clique, Supported the Market at Critical Times—Enormous Selling Orders Bore Quotations Downward.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—The picturesque excitement on the cotton exchange which drew crowds to the galleries during the cotton movement of the past year were eclipsed today. Enormous selling orders caused one of the wildest scenes of trading on the exchange. For a time a panic seemed imminent. It was stayed by Sully & Brown, representing the bull clique, who opportunely supported the market.

The cause of the selling was the government cotton report, which makes the condition of cotton 81.2 as compared with 79.7 last month, 64 last year, 71.4 in 1901 and 68.2 in 1900. The sudden growth of a general belief that the news of the ravages of the "boll weevil" has been greatly exaggerated in the south, the home of the bull clique for market effect, coupled with a partial support of this belief by the government cotton crop estimates, made public at noon, but guessed very nearly during the morning, caused a violent break in the nearby cotton months. September options dropped 40 points during the morning, and October more than 20 points. The pit was crowded with brokers and the gallery was jammed with visitors. Noisy and gesticulation were continuous. The volume of trading was said to be fairly heavy on the decline.

The scene on the floor after the announcement of the report was probably unparalleled. Brokers brushed aside many to the telephone booths, made football rushes into the trading groups.

Bull Leaders Confident.

On the far side of the pit, in contrast, there was the greatest calm. Brown, the New Orleans bull leader, with Hayne and his other associates, stood there with folded arms watching. There was evidently a fairly even division of buying and selling orders. Riordan was the chief seller. He seemed to have unlimited orders to throw cotton on the market. His principals were one of the mysteries of the exchange. Nobody seems to know for whom he is acting.

Large houses with English connections, which for three days have been heavy sellers, in anticipation of a favorable government cotton report, again threw large blocks on the market.

Theodore Price telegraphed all over the country last night that it was "a cinch" to sell cotton short. Even before the report was published heavy selling began. Price figures that from the government report the next yield will be only 14,200,000 bales.

After the severe fall in the morning there was recovering in the afternoon trading. The market closed feverish and erratic. Spot cotton broke 25 points today, to 12.50.

The Government Report.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—The monthly report of the chief of the bureau of statistics of the department of agriculture will show the average condition of cotton on August 25 to have been 81.2, as compared with 79.7 on July 25, 1903, 64.0 on August 26, 1902, 71.4 on August 24, 1901, and a ten-year average of 72.4.

The following table shows the condition by states on August 25, 1903, with ten-year averages:

States.	Aug. 25, 1903.	July 25, 1903.	Aug. 26, 1902.	Aug. 24, 1901.	10 Yr. Ave.
Texas	76	82	32	86	66
Georgia	87	77	78	81	70
Alabama	84	79	54	75	73
Mississippi	87	83	62	86	75
South Carolina	80	76	74	80	76
Arkansas	86	76	65	81	74
Louisiana	86	84	70	86	75
North Carolina	83	78	80	72	78
Tennessee	91	82	82	74	73
Indian Territory	87	78	58	76	74
Oklahoma	75	69	76	68	76
Florida	87	86	75	78	73
Missouri	81	78	75	76	80
Virginia	86	79	80	84	80
United States	81.2	79.7	64.0	71.4	72.4

COAST STATION MUST ACCEPT ALL MESSAGES

Berlin Wireless Telegraph Conference Desires to Prevent Injurious Rivalry.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—International recognition of the rights of wireless telegraphy is contained in the first protocol of the Berlin international wireless telegraph conference, which by common consent was made public today at the capitals of the various countries represented at the conference. Although the members of this conference were not empowered to conclude a binding convention, the provisions of this protocol will, it is expected, be embodied in an international treaty duly signed and ratified at another conference which is to be called for that purpose.

Evidence of the impartiality of the conference's decisions is found in the first article of the protocol which provides that coast wireless stations shall transmit, regardless of the wireless system used, all messages "originating from or intended for vessels at sea," the term coast stations including "any fixed station whose field of action is the sea."

This provision it is believed, will go far toward removing the friction between the various systems of wireless telegraphy, which if allowed to go unchecked, threatens indefinitely the general practicability of wireless telegraphy.

Another provision in the protocol provides for the organization, as far as possible, of all wireless stations "so as not to interfere with the service of other stations."

TRAIN ROBBERS FOILED BY A PLUCKY ENGINEER

GREAT FALLS, MONT., Sept. 3.—What is believed to have been at attempt to hold up express No. 151, on the Great Northern railroad, almost within the city limits of Great Falls, was foiled last night by the engineer, who ran his train by the spot where it was to have been halted so fast that the robbers could not get at him. Just east of the city the engineer saw figures by the side of the track in the darkness. Scarce one shouted but the engineer paid no attention. There was a shot and the bell smashed a glass in the cab. Detectives were hurried to the scene, but no one was found there.

LAST EXCURSION

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Special train will leave Lake Erie railroad station, Pittsburgh, 8:15 a. m., city time, returning Monday evening. Purchase tickets in advance at 357 Fifth avenue, or any P. & L. E. line agent.

Ten dollars to Cape May, Atlantic City, etc., in coaches, or twelve dollars in parlor or sleeping cars, via Pennsylvania railroad, September TENTH. Remember this is the last for 1903.

"The Old Fashioned County Fair," illustrated, in The Sunday Gazette.

PAYNE AVENGES ALLEE'S WRONGS

He Dismisses Delaware Postmistress Because Senator Doesn't Like Her.

PRESIDENT IS APPEALED TO

Agreement Between Factions as to Disposal of Federal Patronage Said to Have Been Violated—All Postmasters in the State Fear Loss of Places.

THE POST-OFFICE GAZETTE BUREAU,
Room 10, Postal Building,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 3.

The removal of Miss Huldah B. Todd, postmistress at Greenwood, Sussex county, Delaware, by Postmaster-General Payne without written charges being made against her for the alleged reason that she is "particularly and personally obnoxious" to Senator Allee, will be brought to the attention of President Roosevelt, who will be asked to order Miss Todd's reinstatement or at least to insist that she be removed upon written charges to which she will have an opportunity to make reply. It is also likely that Senator Ball will take the fight into the senate when congress convenes and retaliate with an attack upon the postmaster-general. Another feature of the squabble is that it may have a bearing upon the Delaware delegation to the next Republican convention.

At any rate there is bound to be trouble over the matter, for it has added fuel to the flames of the feud between the Addicks and anti-Addicks factions in Delaware. The general impression was that an understanding had been reached between the two factions regarding federal patronage by which Senator Allee was to have Kent and Sussex counties and Senator Ball was to control New Castle county. Thus Miss Todd's office was in Senator Allee's bailiwick. But a further protocol provided that fourth-class postmasters were not to be disturbed until their terms expired, at which time successors could be appointed to suit the will of the senator whose privilege it was to dictate the appointment. This is the treaty that is claimed has been violated. Under its terms Senator Allee, although Miss Todd may have been "particularly and personally obnoxious" to him, should have left her undisturbed until her term expired and then he could have had the undisputed right to appoint a successor who was not obnoxious and who were an Addicks button and could vote.

The immediate result of the incident has been to stir up every fourth-class postmaster in the state and every one of them is trembling lest he may be ground between the upper and nether millstones in the factional war.

L. W. STRAYER.

GLASS WORKERS LIKELY TO FORM A NEW UNION

Those Working for Independent Plants Are Said to Have a Scheme.

The window glass muddle likely will result in another organization being formed, comprising the men who are employed by the independent factories, and who will not abide by the order of the officials of the union.

The men working for the independents refused to accept the proposition from the start.

Since the Kane plant was started the other independent manufacturers have been arranging to open up their factories. Four more have arranged to start on or before September 15. They are: New Bethlehem, Pa., 38 pots; Eldred Glass Company, Eldred, Pa., 24 pots; Palmer Window Glass Company, Shinglehouse, Pa., 60 pots, and the Boyd Glass Company, Mt. Jewett, Pa., 36 pots. The latter plant will be started Saturday.

William Bennett, who organized the secession movement from the original association of glass workers, four years ago, predicts that the third organization will not be long lived. He thinks the secession will so demoralize the trade that a consolidation of window glass organizations will be the result.

DR. SCRIPTURE MAY NOT RETURN TO YALE AGAIN

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—It is reported that Dr. Edward Scripture, a pioneer psychological experiment worker and head of the department of experimental psychology at Yale university, will not return when his leave of absence expires next June. Dr. Scripture is now in Germany, enjoying his sabbatical year.

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LEE'S WIDOW WILL NOT GET A PENNY

Fortune of New York Clubman Reverts to Other Members of His Family.

FUNERAL SERVICES ARE HELD

Mrs. Lee on Her Way Across the Ocean. The Countess von Waldersee Hurried Her Obsequies Because She Could Not Stand the Strain.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—The widow of David Bradley Lee, crossing the ocean within one day of New York, while his body was being interred in a receiving vault at Woodlawn cemetery today, will have no share, according to relatives, in the large fortune which her husband enjoyed. The fact that Mrs. Lee, who was Miss Daisy Giles, a beautiful American girl, is cut off from inheriting even a dower right, was ascertained today by your correspondent.

Mr. Lee received only the income of a large fortune left by his mother. This estate was held in trust for him with the provision in her will that after his death it was to return to the Lee family. David Bradley Lee was unable to bequeath a penny of it, and his widow will receive only such provision as the relatives voluntarily make for her, it was said.

Relatives of Mr. Lee positively declare that there are scrutinet relations between the widow and the family. It is pointed out that two sisters of Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Mexfield and Mrs. Street, with their daughters, attended the funeral today with the Countess von Waldersee and Baroness von Wachter, sisters of Mr. Lee, and other relatives.

There was some mystery, however, as to why the date for the funeral was not set forward. It was understood that the interment would not be made until the arrival of Mrs. Lee, who is expected tomorrow. Dr. J. Riddle Goff, who performed the operation on Mr. Lee, said today that the Countess von Waldersee insisted the funeral because she was unable to stand the strain.

Funeral services were held in the Church of the Holy Communion, at 11 o'clock. The services were simple and brief. The body was then taken to Woodlawn. The honorary pallbearers were: Gen. Jasper Grant Wilson, John Foster, a first cousin of Mr. Lee; Charles Lee Rockwell, a second cousin; Edward Cooper, Dr. J. Riddle Goff and Edward J. Bernard, Miss Adelaide Simmons, Mr. Lee's secretary, who attended the funeral.

Coroner Schoder admitted today that he had been visited by two men, acting as friends of Mrs. Lee, who asked him to refrain from telling him that the circumstances in Mr. Lee's illness did not warrant an operation. He concluded, however, to take no action, pending the arrival of Mrs. Lee from Europe.

Bundy's Successor Appointed.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—Sherman T. McPherson has been appointed United States attorney for the southern district of Ohio, at Cincinnati, succeeding William H. Bundy, deceased.

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Reduced fares will be in effect via Pennsylvania lines, as follows:

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To Cincinnati, September 30th and 7th, account Cincinnati Festival.

To Denver, September 26 and 4th, for meeting of Improved Order of St. Andrew.

To San Francisco, October 7th to 17th, account American Bankers' association.

To Dayton, October 11th and 12th, account Union Veteran Legion meeting.

To Detroit, October 13th, 10th, 17th and 18th, account national convention of Christian churches.

Particulars about fares, etc., may be ascertained by consulting Ticket Passenger Agent J. R. Dillon, room 301 Park Building, Pittsburgh.

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FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Don't expect these goods at these prices after 5:30 o'clock Saturday.

New Black Dress Goods. An assorted lot in plain Whipcords, Serges, Granites and Cheviots and some fine French Novelties in small, attractive figures. Regular 1.00 to 1.50 stock. Friday and Saturday only 75

Armures and Granite Cloth. A fine line in full range of colors especially adapted to Childrens School Dresses and the Shirt-waist Suit. Regular 40 cent stock. Friday and Saturday only 25

Percales and Madras. White and colors, light ones with small patterns, dark grounds with plain and tri-color stripes. 25, 35 and 40 cent goods. Friday and Saturday 12½

White Dressing Sacks. Bright, new goods, dotted Swiss and Lawns, all sizes, regularly selling for 2.50, 3.00 3.50 and 4.00. Friday and Saturday only ..... Half Price

All our Wash Vests. Good selection and the entire stock included without reserve. Friday and Saturday only ..... Half Price

Neglige Shirts. A week ago we marked down a lot of Neglige Shirts from 1.50 and 1.75 to 75 cents. Friday and Saturday your choice for 50

New Tan Hose. Hard to get tans at any price in Women's Hose. Some new ones just here. Friday and Saturday only 65

Fall Clothing For Men

The best efforts of the best tailors cost twice as much.

New Suits and fall novelties for men in cheviots, worsteds and cassimeres, single and double breasted, all sizes, in lounge, stouts and regulars ..... 12.00 to 35.00

Topcoats that stand for excellence and all that's right in the outer garment in tans, oxfords and blacks, 32 to 40 inches long ..... 10.00 to 35.00

Cravanettes of course — tailcoats in mixtures, stripes and plaids, tans, blacks and oxfords, silk lined and silk—yoke skeletons ..... 10.00 to 35.00

CARNIVAL QUEEN
Vote at Store Thursday.

W. O'Donnell	3467
Ella C. Lenahan	3194
Nellie Lenihan	2405
Jean Morris	877
Victoria Kyle	330

Fall Clothing for Boys

Enough here already to increase our good and growing reputation for things juvenile.

New Fall Suits for Young Men, in cheviots, worsteds, cassimeres and English coverings, tailored to excellence and set beyond good critic dressing or taste ..... 8.50, 12.50, 15.00 up to 22.50

New Fall Suits for Boys from 7 to 16, in Norfolk, single and double breasted sacks ..... 3.00, 4.50 up to 10.00 to 15.00

New Fall Overcoats for boys from 3 to 16 from 3.00 to 10.00, and for young men coats and topcoats, 32 to 38 inches long ..... 10.00 to 35.00

Raincoats in Cravenette for boys from 3 to 16 for 10.00, and young men of 20 and under, sizes 31 to 36 ..... 10.00 to 25.00

Tuxedos, short pants, for boys from 8 to 16, at 15.00 and 18.00, and for young men of 20 and under special lines for ..... 20.00 and 25.00

New Dress Goods

Black Zibeline. An extra quality of heavy black Zibeline, 56 inches wide, right weight for the separate unlined skirt 98

All-Wool Mannish Tweeds, Zibelines and English Suitings. Right weights, shades, colors and fabrics for the fall tailored suit, made to sell for 1.25 and 1.50 and well enough bought to open at 1.00

New Silks

For the Shirtwaist Suit. A new line of Taffetas, Louisines and Peau de Cygne in all the popular shades, including gunmetal. Opening prices range from a Louisine at 65 cents to a beautiful Peau de Cygne at 1.50

New Ideas in Vestings

White Vestings. Just as popular as ever will be the whites, and new ones are here in the wash goods section in new designs in stripes, figures and the large block effects ..... 50, 65 and 90

Colored Vestings. Hardly right to call them colored, these beautiful new stripes and embroidered dots, these Persian stripes and the all-over or mottled designs printed on white grounds ..... 45, 65, 75 and 1.00

The New Long Coat Suits

New Walking Suits for maid or matron that sound the right note of what's to be, belted and pleated, exclusive and right from there five dollars to as easy way down to 20.00

Shop by Mail 233-235 FIFTH AVENUE Buy by Phone

NEWS OF NEARBY TOWNS AND COUNTRY

NECK-AND-NECK RACE FOR CARNIVAL QUEEN

Hourly Bulletins Give Results of Interesting Contest at the Monessen Fair.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

MONESSEN, PA., Sept. 3.—With the Wallace show as a counter attraction at Charleroi today, the carnival and free street fair was visited by the largest crowd of the week. The merchants' parade in the morning was a feature that brought thousands of early visitors to town. All confidence men have been kept out of the carnival, no less than 50 fortune-wheel men having been refused permits to operate in the streets.

As the time draws near for the closing of the queen of the carnival contest the enthusiasm increases. Thousands of persons watch the hourly bulletins posted by the committee in charge and each hour shows a material change in the race. Everybody in the city is interested in this voting contest, and judging from the last bulletins posted this evening, it looks like a neck-and-neck race between Miss Sara Suttle, Miss Dottie Elliott and Miss Edna Stanton for the honor.

All the mills closed down today at 4 o'clock and will remain idle until Monday morning in order to allow workmen to enjoy the pleasures of the carnival. This move on the part of the mill superintendents will add at least 5,000 more persons to swell the crowds and give them a chance to prepare for the big mill workers' parade on Saturday. On that day the carnival will close. On Saturday the five big mills each have a three weeks' pay and in the neighborhood of $200,000 will be paid out. Mike Conley and Ont Curry, the two principal characters arrested last night, were sent to Greensburg for 30 days and their four confederates were given an hour to get out of town.

CHANGES IN TEACHERS.

Westminister College Will Have New Faculty—Large Attendance is Promised.

NEW WILMINGTON, PA., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—The fall term of Westminster college will open September 9 and the outlook for a large attendance is good. There will be several new professors. Prof. W. T. Bowerman, lately of Knoxville college, Tenn., will be professor of English in place of Miss Margaret McLaughrey, resigned. Prof. F. C. McGill will be in charge of the Greek chair, from which Prof. Morgan Barnes resigned.

Miss Elizabeth Rebekah Speer, of Kentucky, will have charge of the musical department in place of Prof. M. L. Peterson, who has been granted a year's leave of absence. Miss Mary Brown, of the German department, is seriously ill and her place will be supplied for the year until she recovers. Rev. J. O. Campbell, D. D., will begin his work the coming term as professor of history and sociology. Miss Grace Acheson, of Youngstown, Ohio, succeeds Miss Oliver in the department of elocution.

Labor Day Excursion to Conneaut Lake.

Monday September 7th Via Baltimore and Ohio and Bessemer and Lake Erie Railroads. Special train leaves Allegheny 7 a. m. Returning leaves the Lake 7 p. m., same date. Tickets $1.00 round trip. Last excursion of the season to this popular resort.

GOOD ROADS MEETING IN INDIANA COUNTY

Assessors and Supervisors Addressed on Subject of New State Law.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

INDIANA, PA., Sept. 3.—In accordance with a call issued by Judge Harry White last week the assessors and road supervisors of Indiana county met in the courthouse today and were addressed by Judge White and the new state road commissioner, Joseph W. Hunter. Judge White explained the new assessment law and gave the assessors instructions as to carrying it out. Mr. Hunter then addressed the road supervisors on the new road law.

He said that the state had appropriated $6,000,000 to be apportioned among the different townships of the state according to the number of miles of road in each. To obtain their share of the appropriation the township supervisors must petition the state, agreeing to bear one-sixth the cost of all roads, the county to bear one-sixth and the state the remaining two-thirds. Mr. Hunter stated that a road could be built for $3,000 to $5,000 a mile. This is the first meeting of the kind to be held in the state and is due to the energy of Judge White.

STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

UNIONTOWN, PA.—Dr. T. M. Eastman was married to Miss Ella Benson of Markdale, Ontario, Canada, the wedding taking place at the home of the bride's parents.

CANTON, O.—John H. Merley, a business man, has been sued for divorce by his wife, Florence Merley, and wilful absence from home are charged during a period of three years.

GREENSBURG, PA.—Fire, believed to have been of incendiary origin, destroyed the new frame barn of J. M. Simpson, near New Alexandria. The loss is over $3,000, with $1,200 insurance.

LATROBE, PA.—Frank Bernbrok and Mary Ferguson, daughter of Harvey Ferguson of Latrobe, eloped to Cumberland Tuesday evening and were married there. Neither are over 17 years of age.

CUMBERLAND, MD.—Marriage licenses were issued here to the following Pennsylvanians: Ernest Illig and Alice Sayers of Homestead, Bolton Godrin Conchenour and Sarah Mullin of Greensburg.

COSHOCTON, O.—The annual reunion of Company H, One Hundred and Forty-third Ohio Volunteer Infantry, was held at McConnell's grove, near Keene, and was attended by many old soldiers in this part of the state.

OIL CITY, PA.—While the families were attending the Strasburg fair the residences of W. D. Adams and Jesse Smith, at Barkhamsted, were entered by thieves and cash and jewelry stolen to the amount of $800. The money had been left in the house because the families feared pickpockets at the fair.

BROWNSVILLE—The civic celebration of the opening of the Pennsylvania and Pittsburgh & Lake Erie extensions and the opening of the Monongahela railroad will be held here Friday. Officials of the roads and other prominent men will speak. At the banquet in the new Pennsylvania hotel at night Judge Umbel of Fayette county will preside.

NEW CASTLE, PA.—The annual reunion of the Fox, Kennedy and Sticklis families was held at Muddy Creek Falls, this county. When several hundred members of the three families were present. Addresses were made by the Rev. Shaners, pastor of the Prospect Lutheran church, the Rev. Mr. Tait of the Princeton Presbyterian church, and Squire Sticklis.

GREENSBURG, PA.—A successful test of the glass blowing machines was made at the Jeannette plant of the American Window Glass Company and it has been decided to install machines at each of the three tanks. The National Glass Company will erect two more tanks at its Jeannette plant, thus making it the largest of its kind in the United States.

MEYERSDALE, PA.—The annual convention of the Woman's Missionary society of Somerset Classis of the Reformed church in the United States, began its sessions here. Devotional services were conducted by the Rev. E. P. Skyles of Berlin. The address of welcome was delivered by Mrs. A. E. Truxel, and was responded to by Mrs. H. S. May of Salisbury.

REV. WILLIAM J. JOHNS,
Pastor of the First Welsh Baptist Church of Wilkesbarre, Pa., Who Has Accepted a Call to the Emmanuel Baptist Temple of New Castle, Pa.

WRECK ON GRADE.

Freight Ran Off, Dashing Into Work Train—Four Seriously Injured.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—The shifting crew of a train on the Bessemer branch of the Pennsylvania lost control of their train of 20 cars, filled with limestone, while coming down a steep grade near Cooper's station, today at 11 o'clock and crashed into a work train at the bottom of the grade seriously injuring four Italians. They are now at the Shenango Valley hospital.

The injured are Steven Horak, burned about the face with steam; Tony Gouille, right leg broken; Vincent Legus, back injured; Tony Sarafino, severely gashed and bruised.

The brakes refused to work. The engineer and fireman realized the danger and jumped before the train attained full speed. The engineer and fireman of the work train also jumped in time. The engines were completely demolished and many cars of limestone and several of the work cars were smashed.

Hid Her Pet Dog in Trunk.

GLASSPORT, PA., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—The killing of dogs in Glassport, which are said to have been bitten by a mad dog last Sunday, when seven persons were attacked, has begun. Yesterday a woman of Fifth street, whose pet dog had been bitten, tried to save her pet. She hid the dog in a trunk but his barks soon revealed his hiding place and he was dragged forth and shot. Another of the dogs bitten was discovered in a hayknow and also shot.

ATTACKED IN BUGGY.

Farmer Gave Stranger a Ride and Latter Murderously Assaulted Him.

GREENSBURG, PA., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—C. H. Patty, a well-known farmer near Delmont, is dying at his home from injuries received during a murderous assault made upon him by an unknown person last evening. Mr. Patty had been in Jeannette and was on his way home when he took a stranger in who asked to ride in his buggy.

When they reached a secluded part of the road near Patty's home the stranger struck him over the head with a handbilly. Over $10 and a gold watch were taken. Mr. Patty lay for several hours unconscious in the road.

TWO CITIES BRING SUIT AGAINST GAS COMPANIES

Seek to Restrain Them from Raising Prices and Lowering Rebates.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

LISBON, O., Sept. 3.—Solicitors George E. Davidson and Charles Hook of Wellsville and East Liverpool filed two important petitions in court here making their cities plaintiffs against the Tri-State Gas Ohio Valley Gas companies, the first named doing business in both cities. The suits are brought to prevent a proposed advance of gas rates from 25 cents per 1,000 cubic feet to 35 cents and a decrease of the present five cent rebate for prompt payment to two cents.

The action is based on a state law authorizing cities to regulate the cost of their gas supply. A temporary injunction to prevent the companies from shutting off the gas supply has been applied for and will be heard by Judge George T. Robinson in Bayonne tomorrow.

SON CLEARED FATHER OF MOTHER'S MURDER

YORK, PA., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—The trial of John Anstine, charged with wife murder, was formally terminated here at 4:30 p. m., by the acquittal of the defendant. Elmer Anstine swore positively that his father was within his sight from 8 o'clock in the morning until he left for the Red Lion, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of the day on which Mrs. Anstine was murdered.

Pretties Girl Seeks Divorce.

COSHOCTON, O., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—Coshocton's prettiest girl, Mrs. Maude Fuller Gardner, today filed suit for divorce against William H. Gardner, alias "Curley Dayton." She charges that Dayton, who was the name he went by here, already had a wife when he married her at Camp Bushnell, in Columbus, in 1901.

Anti-Strike Rules Approved.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—The Steel Furnace Workers and Smelters' union of America today revised the constitution of the organization to cover the points reported on by the committee on charges. The local unions must ask the consent of the national officers before a strike can be declared.

Met After 46 Years.

CORRY, PA., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—After an absence of 46 years Mrs. Charlotte Underwood of Wisconsin and her brother, G. B. Crapser of this city, met today, when Mrs. Underwood arrived here on a visit.

A Window Shiner

BRIGHT, CLEAN WINDOWS ARE THE OUTWARD SIGNS OF NEATNESS WITHIN. AND

FINOLA

LENDS CRYSTAL CLEARNESS TO EVERY PANE, AND GIVES SWEET HOME ITS BRIGHTEST LOOK.

Price 5 cents and 10 cents per package. At all first-class Grocers.

"They have filched their laurel wreathes from the tombs of the dead."

"The humbug of greatness is so grotesque in the careers of those we know that it makes one wonder at the accidents which happen to men—accidents which elevate mediocrity and the commonplace to Olympian heights."

Extracts from two of the many letters to Mr. Bridge, which prompted him to undertake his history of the Carnegie Steel Co.

Gazette Readers Only May Dip Into This Fascinating Book....

The Pittsburgh Gazette has secured the exclusive rights for newspaper publication of the sensational

History of the Carnegie Steel Co.

By James Howard Bridge.

No book published in recent years has excited such widespread interest. But not one copy of the book can be bought. Only 525 copies were printed and these were for private circulation only. Seventy-five copies were sold at $100 each and the remaining 450 copies at $25 each.

The only way in which the public can become acquainted with the startling revelations contained in Mr. Bridge's great work is through the columns of The Pittsburgh Gazette. The first installment of this great book will appear in

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and will be continued every Sunday thereafter until completed. As there doubtless will be an extraordinary demand for the paper from all parts of the country, orders should be sent in immediately to avoid disappointment.

FREE---LOTS---FREE

LINDMORE PLAN

ONLY 83 LOTS LEFT

We are determined to sell *ALL* these lots *NOW.* Here is our plan: Every tenth lot sold will be absolutely *FREE.* Should your purchase be the tenth your ten dollars will be returned and *A CLEAR DEED GIVEN FREE.*

Buy one of our Lots and we will build you a home on it. Can you afford to let this chance go and still pay rent? Paying rent keeps the workingman poor. Stop it—get a *FREE LOT* at Lindmore.

Our Big Sale Day is Saturday, Sept. 5th

Come out, look, and you will buy. Automobiles will whirl you over the plan. Don't bother about your dinner, but catch the first car and get there before they are all sold. We've a *FREE DINNER* to feed you, a Brass Band to entertain you and *FREE LOTS* to give you. Come—if you don't get there for dinner we serve a *FREE SUPPER,* too.

Only 83 lots left. You want one of them, and why shouldn't yours be a free one?

LOTS FROM $75.00 UP. NO TAXES. NO INTEREST.

Easy Terms: $10 Down and a Dollar or Two a Week

Take West View or East Street Car and get off at Evergreen Road, we'll do the rest.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 5th

GREATER PITTSBURGH REAL ESTATE CO., 401 WOOD ST. PITTSBURGH, PA.

CHILDREN OF THE NINTH AND TENTH WARDS CANNOT GO TO SCHOOL

Taxpayers Are Indignant and a Mass Meeting to Protest Is Likely to Be Held.

DEADLOCKED ON A CONTRACT

The Directors Could Not Decide on a Bidder for the Plumbing of the Ralston School Building—Board Meets Next Monday.

The children of the Ninth and Tenth wards, who should be receiving instruction at the Ralston school daily, have been reporting each day this week at the school building, Fifteenth street and Penn avenue, and then they go home. People of the ward are indignant and there is likely to be a mass meeting of taxpayers to protest against the children missing instruction they are entitled to just because of the whims of men who were elected school directors and to watch out for the interests of the people of the ward.

Owing to the sanitary arrangements of the building having been condemned by the plumbing inspector it was decided to have new plumbing put into the structure, and accordingly bids were received August 18 to do the work according to the specifications of the plumbing inspector. Albert S. Henle bid $850 on the work, and Bart Regan, a son of one of the school directors, put in a bid of $1,200.

The board deadlocked over the matter. John Regan, a mill worker, father of the bidder; John Carr, a telephone lineman, and Charles Reilly, a bartender, voted for Regan. John Windish, a grocer, and president of the board; George Brehler, a bartender, and Charles Schafer, a milk dealer, favored the lowest bidder, Henle.

THREE SCHOOL DIRECTORS WHO FAVOR LOWEST BIDDER

CHARLES SCHAFER.

JOHN WINDISH.

GEORGE BREHLER.

The votes have been the same at each subsequent meeting.

Henle has been in the business 22 years and his work would have to be approved by the plumbing inspector, but the directors who were against him declared he could not do the work properly for $850, the amount of his bid. Regan, the other bidder, is said to have been in the business only since last spring.

Henle imagined it would come out all right, as he was the lowest bidder, and, acting under advice, he started in to tear out some of the old plumbing in the building last month. Then an injunction was got out against him. Henle promptly secured an injunction against Regan so the latter could do no work. Judge Collier heard the cases and dismissed them, advising the school board to settle the matter in some way. This the members have failed to do. With the pipes torn out and no water in the toilet and washrooms, and none for the children to drink, it is impossible to hold school. In the meantime the teachers and scholars appear each day and do not show much concern over the outcome of the controversy, as the former expect their pay and the latter are enjoying an extended vacation.

A meeting of the board is scheduled for Monday, but from present appearances it does not look as if an agreement will be reached. Even if they would decide on one of the men to do the plumbing work, it would take a week to complete it, and therefore it will be that length of time until the school is opened after the contract is finally awarded.

MAYOR HAYS STRONGLY OPPOSES WATER METERS

Declares System of Measuring Is Not Conducive to Cleanliness—Thinks Additional Appropriation Will Be Needed for a Plant.

Mayor William B. Hays is opposed to the introduction of meters to curtail the consumption of water, taking exception to the views of the director of public works, E. M. Bigelow. The mayor declares that water meters will prevent cleanliness. He believes in the maxim that "cleanliness is next to Godliness," and he is convinced that councils are making a grave mistake in seeking to limit the amount of water that the people shall use.

"I have a friend who put a water meter in his place thinking that it would save him money," said the mayor yesterday. "It did save him money, but he also found that his place was not so clean as formerly. He discovered that to keep the water bill as low as possible his establishment was not as much used. People, in the desire to save water, are not going to bathe as often as they used to. Besides, thinking that it would be better to pay lower bills and have her place look cleaner and brighter, and he had the meter taken out.

"That would be the experience all over the city if meters were installed," added the mayor. "People would try to cut down their water bills just as they do their gas bills, and the result would be they would not keep either their property or themselves as clean as they do now when water is plentiful. I suppose meters will be put in, but I think it is a bad move.

"I believe councils made another mistake when they changed the water schedule this year. They should at least have waited until next year, as the schedule will have to be changed again to conform to the meter system. Then the work will all have to be gone over again and there will be more kicking.

On the subject of bond issues for filtration the mayor believes that the bond issue will not be large enough and that a plant of a capacity sufficient to supply the whole city cannot be built without an additional appropriation by the people. He believes the cost of the plant will be more than is expected. As he says it is always natural to underestimate the cost of any sort of building.

Shot Dead While Asleep.

GLADSTONE, MICH., Sept. 3.—Sandy Murchie, manager of the Rapid River opera house, while in bed asleep this morning at the Hamilton homestead camp, was shot and instantly killed by Clyde Cole, aged 15, son of Charles of Cole, ex-postmaster. Cole was removing a cartridge from a gun when it discharged, striking Murchie in the neck.

WIDENING COST OVER $800,000

Viewers Report Benefits and Damages on Virgin Alley Improvement.

THE CITY IS TO PAY ITS SHARE

Henry W. Oliver Pays Largest Amount and Gets Largest Damages—Schedule Is Submitted to Property Owners Who May Take Appeals.

The board of viewers on the widening of Virgin alley between Smithfield street and Liberty avenue yesterday completed its work and presented the schedule of damages and benefits to the owners of property on the thoroughfare. The report shows that the net cost of the improvement will be $808,973 51, of which the property owners on the south side will pay $785,295 and the city the balance of $23,678 51.

In addition to the balance of $23,678 51, the city pays benefits amounting to $79,-869 for the city hall property. The greatest damages allowed to a single owner were to Henry W. Oliver, who receives $665,093 35 on his property on the north side. He also pays the largest amount of benefits for one individual, being assessed $285,087 35 on the north side of the street and $101,877 50 on the south side, aggregating $446,964 85.

The Trinity Episcopal church receives damages of $199,894 40 and the First Presbyterian church $165,600. The Trinity church pays $114,000 benefits and the First Presbyterian church $82,600.

Outside of Henry W. Oliver the heaviest benefits on the south side of the street are assessed against the Farmers National bank, which pays $68,400, and E. H. Moyers, who pays $91,200. The property owners will have an opportunity to appeal from the judgment of the viewers before the report is submitted to court and again after it goes to court. They may even demand a jury trial. The viewers' report is signed by M. C. Acheson, William S. Bradberry and Robert Thomson. The following is the schedule they present:

Gross damages on north side—	
Henry W. Oliver	$665,093 04
Fleisl & Wehrheim (lessee)	1,020 00
Woodward W. Miller (lessee)	150 00
Martin J. Cavanaugh (lessee)	132 00
Albert Wehrheim (lessee)	90 00
David P. Black	33,692 40
David P. Black	26,446 80
Henry W. Oliver	37,781 23
J. G. Lauer (lessee)	20,000 00
Henry W. Oliver	118,383 81
Henry W. Oliver	20,092 23
David P. Black	23,915 00
Henry W. Oliver	135,866 06
Henry W. Oliver (lessee)	38,400 00
The trustees of the First Presbyterian church, Pittsburgh	165,600 00
Minister, church wardens and vestrymen of Trinity church, Pgh	199,894 40
Henry W. Oliver	109,635 25
Henry W. Oliver	102,232 28
Total	$1,335,278 86
Benefits on north side—	
Henry W. Oliver	398 65
David P. Black	5,142 80
David P. Black	8,914 20
Henry R. Rea	17,708 00
Henry W. Oliver	48,924 60
Henry W. Oliver	29,115 00
Henry W. Oliver (lessee)	45,600 00
David P. Black	42,750 00
Henry W. Oliver	28,500 00
Henry W. Oliver (lessee)	68,000 00
The trustees of the First Presbyterian church, Pittsburgh	82,800 00
Minister, church wardens and vestrymen of Trinity church, Pgh	114,000 00
Henry W. Oliver	42,750 00
Henry W. Oliver	34,200 00
Total	$526,902 95
Net damages on north side—	
Henry W. Oliver	93,288 99
Fleisl & Wehrheim (lessee)	1,020 00
Woodward W. Miller (lessee)	150 00
Martin J. Cavanaugh (lessee)	132 00
Albert Wehrheim (lessee)	90 00
David P. Black	28,540 80
David P. Black	28,432 70
Henry R. Rea	30,025 21
J. G. Lauer (lessee)	20,000 00
Henry W. Oliver	72,757 81
Henry W. Oliver	4,888 96
David P. Black	101,165 40
Henry W. Oliver	107,766 66
Henry W. Oliver (lessee)	400 00
The trustees of the First Presbyterian church, Pittsburgh	22,800 00
Minister, church wardens and vestrymen of Trinity church, Pgh	85,094 40
Henry W. Oliver	61,885 27
Henry W. Oliver	68,032 36
Total	$808,973 51
Benefits on south side—	
Henry W. Oliver	38,500 00
Paul H. Hacke	6,697 50
Henry W. Oliver	124,877 50
H. F. Bichard	11,292 50
E. H. Moyers	91,200 00
W. S. Brown	45,600 00
Hiram W. Oliver	28,500 00
Farmers Deposit National bank	68,400 00
Charles C. Mellor & Herman H. Hesse	34,200 00
Sophia Moyran	19,000 00
Sophia Moyran	3,420 00
W. Campbell	34,200 00
W. Strahm	34,200 00
George W. Schmidt Co.	34,200 00
W. Dean	34,200 00
Emma H. Alsop	34,200 00
City of Pittsburgh	79,800 00
Total	$785,295 00
Amount assessed against the city of Pittsburgh, being the difference between the total amount of damages paid, improvement and the total amount of special or peculiar benefits	$ 23,678 51
Total	$ 808,973 51

CIGAR MAKERS GIVEN ADVANCE IN WAGES

New Scale Gives Workmen 25 to 50 Per Cent Increase Per Thousand.

There will be no strike of the cigar and stogy makers. The scale which was prepared last week and presented to the manufacturers has been signed by all the leading firms. This is good news to the workmen as they expected to become compelled to make a fight for the increase. It becomes effective next Monday.

The scale calls for an advance of 50 cents per thousand on cigars and 25 cents on stogies. Since the last scale new kinds of smokes have been on the market and prices have been arranged for them. The selling prices of many brands of tobacco have been advanced recently, due to the workmen getting more wages, and the signing of the new scale may result in prices going still higher. Tobies selling at four for five cents are now disposed of at three for five cents. Cigars selling seven for 25 cents are now five cents straight.

SCANNED NEW SPECIMENS.

First Fall Meeting of the Botanical Society Was Full of Interest.

The Botanical society of Western Pennsylvania held its first meeting after its summer vacation in the Carnegie institute last evening. "Vacation Experiences" was the topic of the evening and several members exhibited collections that they had made during the summer. Dr. T. D. Davies, president of the society, brought home 100 specimens of wild plants, which were in bloom in Northern Arkansas in August.

Miss Iantha Keefer exhibited 50 specimens gathered in Somerset county and Miss Katherine R. Holmes showed a large number of rare plants of Westmoreland county. Counting the specimens Miss Holmes presented last night she has 500 specimens in the botany rooms of the Carnegie institute. Henry H. Negley presided at the meeting.

The annual meeting of the society will be held next month and reports from each officer will be received and new officers elected. The topic to be discussed after the election of officers will be "Asphalt Roads Selling for $2—reduced for this hour to only 1.19.

MRS. ARMOUR'S PROTEGE DISCHARGED AS CURED

NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—(Special.—Alvin Block, the little cripple whose presentation of a doll he himself had carved to little Lolita Armour, led to his treatment by Dr. Lorenz at the request of Mrs. Armour, is pronounced cured of the congenital disease of the hip. Little Alvin was discharged from the hospital at Tarrytown today. He walked to the station unaided and showed slight signs of lameness.

LAST EXCURSION.

$1.75 Ashtabula Harbor $1.75
Account Labor Unions,
Monday, September 7,
P. & L. E. R. R.

Special train will leave Lake Erie railroad station, Pittsburgh, 8.15 a. m., city time, returning Monday evening. Purchase tickets in advance at 357 Fifth avenue, or any P. & L. E. line agent.

Ten dollars to Cape May, Atlantic City, etc., in coaches, or twelve dollars in parlor or sleeping cars, via Pennsylvania railroad, September TENTH. Remember this is the last for 1903.

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HOUR SALE KAUFMANN'S "THE BIG STORE"

TODAY'S hour sale will awaken the shopping public to renewed life and activity. The dawn of the new season finds Fall goods pouring into "The Big Store" from all sides. Among these extensive purchases were many lots which came to us at exceptionally large price concessions. And it's from these under-price purchases that most of today's Hour Sale items have been culled. The remainder have their origin in our determination to quickly clean out the balance of summer goods, miscellaneous lots and ends of lines, no matter how great a loss we have to pocket.

It's up to you whether or not you will profit by these unusual offers

9 TO 10 A. M. TODAY.

Women's handkerchiefs, 5c
Women's hemstitched pure linen handkerchiefs, only 5c. 10c and 15c lace edge folding fans, each, 5c. Pearl and cut-quoise head lace pins, doz., 5c.

Fruit saucers, each, 5c
Odds and ends of fruit saucers, plates, soap dishes, etc., worth 10c, go during this hour, each, 5c.

Girls' school dresses, 85c
Girls' wool school dresses in plaids and fancy mixtures, trimmed with braid and ribbon, sizes 4 to 14—special at this hour, only 85c.

Fels-Naptha soap, 10 cakes, 40c
Ivory soap, 10 cakes for 35c. Fels-Naptha soap, 10 cakes for 40c. (Grocery dept.)

Window shades, complete, 27c
Hand-made mill opaque and duplex window shades, 24 to 48 in. wide and 6 ft. long, mounted on 18-in. and 4 in. Hartshorne rollers—worth up to 45 each, complete for only 27c.

Women's vici kid shoes, 1.19
Women's vici kid lace shoes and patent leather oxfords—the $2 kind selling for $1—reduced for this hour to only 1.19.

Water-proof repellant, yd., 29c
54-in. wide water-proof repellant cloth suitings, in all the popular fall shades and black—worth 75c, at only, yd., 29c.

Brussels carpet samples, 49c
Samples of Brussels carpets, 4½ ft. long, during this hour, each, 49c. Samples of Wilton carpets, in pretty rug patterns, at each, 79c.

12½ Barnsley crash, yd., 8 1-3c
All linen Barnsley crash, in natural color, also Dundee crash—reg. 12½c kind, this hour only, yd., 8 1-3c.

Boys' double breasted suits, 79c
Boys' $1.50 oxford and blue double-breasted suits; ages 3 to 8 years—sizes in sailor suits, at only 79c.

Lace veiling, yd., 15c
Pretty Paris lace veilings, tuxedo and hair line meshes, worth 25c, sq. yd., 19c. Dotted maline neck bows, all colors, each, 19c. 5-in. wide pretty white Cluny lace bands, only, yd., 19c.

Children's 15c stockings, 6c
Boys' or misses' good strong fast black ribbed school stockings, that have been selling for 15c, go during this hour, per pair, 6c.

5c school sundries, 3c
Wooden pencil cases, gum erasers, pencil knives, box of colored crayons, pencil sharpeners, etc.—reg. price 5c, this hour, each, 3c. (Book dept.)

$1 worth wall paper, 32c
10 bolts of pretty wall paper and 3 bolts of 9-in. border, light or dark colorings, suitable for bedroom or kitchen—worth $1, all for 32c.

Boys' 25c golf caps, 12c
Boys' and children's golf caps, suitable for school wear, in new fall patterns; also plain black or blue, nicely lined; all sizes 25c caps for this hour at, each, 12c.

39c black or white silk, yd., 20c
21-in. black or white India and habutai silks, lustrous and strong, launders nicely—reg. 39c and 35c quality, at, yd., 20c. Polka dot velveteen, 23 in. wide, for fall waists and suits—during this hour, yd., 59c.

17c brooms at 10c
Good floor brooms, extra strong. Kind that have been selling for 17c, go during this hour, each, 10c.

Infants' cashmere coats, 1.69
A special lot of infants' fine wool bedford cord and cashmere long coats; also special lot of novelty coats—value $2 to $4; this hour, 1.69.

Women's $3 skirts, 1.89
Women's walking skirts, made from covert cloths, cheviots, Venetians or mixtures, finely tailored; light and dark colors, newest designs, worth $3, this hour, 1.89.

10 TO 11 A. M. TODAY.

Lace remnants, yd. 10c
Remnant lengths of all kinds of laces and insertings, including Val., Torchon, Cluny, etc., worth 15c and 25c, at only, yd., 10c. Odd lots of women's 25c stock collars, slightly soiled from display, to be closed out at only 10c.

$3.25 worth wall paper, 1.49
10 bolts artistic wall paper, 8 bolts of ceiling and 2 bolts of 18-in. border, beautiful designs in dark reds, greens, blues—worth $3.25, all for 1.49. (Without ceiling, 1.25.)

Boys' school shoes, 89c
Boys' and youths' solid calf school shoes, made to wear, stand hard knocks, reduced from $1.25 to only 89c.

Table damask, yd., 24c
58-in. mercerized bleached and unbleached table damask, in neat patterns, good quality, during this hour, yd., 24c.

$1.50 clothes baskets, 89c
Square clothes baskets, made of whole willow, several sizes marked as high as $1.50, this hour, each, 89c.

25c brooch pins, 19c
Women's fancy imported brooch pins, in various designs, have been selling for 25c, go this hour at only 19c. (Jewelry dept.)

Japanese mattings, yd., 21c
You can take your pick of the best linen warp reversible Japanese mattings in our stock during this hour for yd., 21c.

$2.50 skirt lengths, each, 89c
Numerous styles and colors of dress skirt lengths in serges, suitable for separate skirts and children's dresses—easily worth $2.50, but go during this hour at, per length, 89c.

Jelly glasses, doz., 14c
Jelly glasses, with tin tops, worth 25c, during this hour at, doz., 14c.

Camera supply specials
Full cabinet oval mounts, assorted colors, per doz., 9c. Squeeze bulbs, all sizes, at one-half off regular prices. Eastman's hydro developer, pkg., 24c. 4x5 developing trays, 7c. Solio toner and fixer, 4 oz. bottle, only 19c.

Boys' wash suits, 25c
Boys' $1 dark gallatea sailor suits, reduced to 25c. Your choice of any wash suit in stock, sizes 2 to 10, value $2 to $5, for only 85c.

Nottingham lace curtains, 25c
Nottingham lace curtain "seconds," 3½ to 60 in. wide and 3½ to 4½ yds. long, up to 4 pairs of a pattern, in guipure Irish point and Brussels net effects—made to sell for $2 and $2.50 pair, at each, 25c.

Women's 75c sailor hats, 19c
Women's sailors, fine sennit braid; also combination fancy braids—kind that sold for 75c, this hour, only 19c.

Boys' 75c knee pants, 35c
Boys' fine all-wool new fall knee pants, patent waistband, double seams, some with double cloth seat and knees, sizes 2 to 16—go during this hour at, pair, 35c.

Uneeda biscuit, 3 pkgs., 10c
Uneeda biscuit, 5 pkgs. for 10c. Zuzu snaps, 3 pkgs. for 10c. Uneeda milk biscuit, 3 pkgs. for 10c. (Grocery dept.)

White embroidered flouncings, yd., 25c
10 and 15-in. wide white embroidered flouncings, for skirts or corset covers, all fine work, on Swiss and cambric—worth 35c and 50c, yd., 25c. Very fine Venise lace top collars, white or cream—worth 50c, at only, 25c.

Women's $1.00 corsets, 44c
A large lot of high grade corsets, such as Thompson's glove fitting, R. & G., C. B., W. B. C, etc., all good models—regular price $1 to $1.50, during this hour only, 44c.

Women's $7.50 jackets, 3.98
Women's tan covert cloth jackets, lined with satin, single breasted, strictly tailor made—formerly sold for $7.50, this hour, 3.98.

Women's wash petticoats, 19c
An odd lot of wash petticoats, made of best quality percale; lined skirt flounce; skirts, during this hour, each, 19c.

11 TO 12 M. TODAY.

Christy knife sets, 15c
Christy knife sets, consisting of one bread knife, one cake knife and one paring knife—reg. price 25c, this hour, per set, 15c.

Women's $2 coats, 1.75
Women's silk coats, made from taffeta silk or peau de soie, in new Monte Carlo or blouse shapes, lined or unlined—value $3, this hour, 1.75.

75c recitation books, 39c
The Capital Speaker for boys and girls, containing recitations, readings, plays and dialogues, 275 pages, cloth binding—publisher's price 75c, this hour, 39c.

15c wash ties, 5c
Men's madras wash ties of shield bows, stripes and knit patterns—make 10c and 15c, this hour, each, 5c. (Men's furnishing goods dept.)

Lima beans, 7 lbs., 40c
Best quality Lima beans, 7 lbs. for 40c. Hand picked extra fancy pea beans, 7 lbs. 25c. Corn meal, finely ground, 10 lb. bag, 21c. (Grocery dept.)

Crystal glass tumblers, each, 1½c
Crystal glass table tumblers—worth 30c, doz., go during this hour at only, each, 1½c.

Waste paper baskets, 19c
Waste paper baskets, the larger sizes, strongly woven—reg. price 35c, this hour, each, 19c.

Boys' novelty suits, 1.35
Boys' sailor and Russian blouse suits, in serges and cheviots, brown, blue, red and tan shades, trousers lined, sizes 3 to 8—this hour 1.35.

$8.50 worth wall paper, 2.38
10 bolts of high grade gold wall paper, 6 bolts of ceiling and 5 bolts of 18-in. blended border, suitable for parlor, hall or library—worth $8.50, all for 2.38.

$8.50 drapery net, yd., 39c
Point de Paris net, point d'esprit or black silk point d'esprit in only one piece of each, limited quantity—reg. 75c quality, for only 39c. 50c quality hemstitched chiffon draped veils, all colors, 29c. (Dry goods dept.)

Men's $3.50 watches, 85c
Men's thin model, nickel-plated watches, stem wind and set, with second hand—would be considered good value for $1.50, this hour only 85c.

Shaker flannel, yd., 25c
Good quality embroidered shaker flannel, suitable for underwear—goes during this hour, yd., 25c.

Drapery remnants, piece, 25c
Remnants of any 7 to 9 yd. remnant of any drapery material in stock, including fine art tickings, grenadines, ruffled swisses, cretonnes and silkolines—have sold from 15c up to 45c yd.—during this hour, per piece, 25c.

Boys' $3 wool suits, 1.85
Boys' all-wool blue, black and oxford melton and Jaeger cheviot double breasted and Norfolk suits, sizes 7 to 15—worth $3, at only 1.85.

Misses' school shoes, 89c
Misses' and children's vici kid school shoes, kid and patent leather tips—have been selling for $1.25, go during this hour, pair, 89c.

Axminster rugs, 17.49
Take your pick of our usual $25 Axminster and Wilton rugs, sizes 9x12 ft., suitable for any room in the house—this hour for 17.49.

Women's sunbonnets, 5c
Women's sunbonnets, made of nice gingham or percaline, trimmed with ruffles, nicely laundered, at only 5c.

81 velvetina, yd., 35c
Genuine Velvetina and 24-in. colored velveteen, all colors, for dresses, waists, etc.—reg. 75c and $1, this hour, yd., 35c. 45-in. black lining taffeta, strong and durable, yd., 59c.

12 TO 1 P. M. TODAY.

Silk pillow cords, piece, 16c
1½ to 4-yd. lengths fine mercerized and silk pillow cords, also drapery cords—values 12½c to 75c a yd., at only, piece, 16c. A lot of portier loops, in combination colors—this hour, each, 4c. (Drapery dept.)

Men's $2.50 oxfords, 1.50
A sample line of men's shoes and oxfords, Goodyear welt sewed—have been selling for $2.50, during this hour at, pair, 1.50.

Women's $1.00 wrappers, 79c
Women's lawn, dimity or percale wrappers, full width front and back, wide skirt, deep flounce or circular ruffle, stylish sleeve, light or dark colors—worth $1.00, this hour at 79c.

Turquoise fan chains, 10c
Pretty turquoise fan chains—worth 25c, for, each, 10c. (Notion dept.) Clear white pearl buttons, all sizes, 2 doz. on a card for 2c. 50c to 75c quality, each, 10c.

Women's $16.98 suits, 6.98
Women's one tailor-made suit of cheviots and fancy mixtures, brown, tan and fancy mixed materials—worth up to $16.98, for one hour, 6.98.

Boys' 50c wash pants, 19c
Boys' "Negatia" make wash pants, in white 7, 8, blue chambray and plain linen—reg. price, 50c, go during this hour, pair 19c.

Women's dressing sacques, 39c
Women's dressing sacques, made of best quality lawn, ruffle trimmed, light and dark colors—go during this hour at, each, 39c.

Linen tuxedo doylies, 10c
Pure linen tuxedo doylies, with 8 rows hemstitched, 25c, this hour, each, 15c. (Art dept.) 16-in. muslin covered silk floss satin pillows, each, 39c. The fresh point squares, slightly soiled, each, 25c.

Butter crocks, each, 15c
Blue and gray stoneware butter crocks and quart size milk pans—worth 25c, during this hour, each, 15c.

Children's $1.50 reefers, 79c
Children's reefers, in red, blue, tan, etc., made of Venetian cloth, double breasted, trimmed with braid, sizes 2 to 6 years—worth $1.50, this hour, each, 79c.

$2.50 gasoline stoves, 1.98
A number of single burner stoves, with 2 burners—have been selling for $2.50, during this hour, 1.98.

Women's 50c stockings, 19c
Women's plain colored or fancy striped stockings—have been selling for 25c, this hour, pair, 19c.

Women's 69c slippers, 49c
Women's kid house slippers, low heels—reduced for the hour from 69c to only 49c.

Hemmed bed sheets, 69c
Double size linen finished bed sheets, full bleached, hemmed ready for use—go during this hour at 69c.

25c scissors at 15c
Lot of 25c scissors, slightly scratched, for only 15c. (Opposite dept.) Cheltenham English bustle in notion department at only 15c. 10 and 15-in. cambric embroideries, yd., 5c.

$1 hearth rug, 1.98
All-wool hearth rugs, in artistic colors and patterns, also fine Axminster rugs—actual value $4, this hour at, each, 1.98.

25c suspenders, 15c
Men's fancy web suspenders, strongly made — have been selling at 25c, go during this hour, pair, 15c.

25c market baskets for 19c
Covered market baskets and imported shopping baskets, extra heavy—reg. price 25c, this hour, each, 19c.

20c coffee, per lb., 15c
Extra quality coffee, per lb., 15c. If you purchase 5 lbs. of coffee you can buy 5 lbs. granulated sugar for 25c, or 5 cans condensed milk for 25c. Or, you can purchase 5 lbs. of coffee, 5 lbs. sugar and 2 cans condensed milk all for 1.00.

$1 table covers, 89c
French tapestry table covers, also Oriental covers, made of printed duck and cretonne cloth, reversible—worth $1.25 and $2, this hour, each, 89c. (Drapery dept.)

1 TO 2 P. M. TODAY.

Boys' bathing gloves, 15c
Boys' well-padded bathing gloves, 4 to each set—value $1.20, at only 75c. Magnificent tan leather bicycle footballs, with good rubber bladder—value $1, at only 49c.

14 fountain pens, 39c
Fine quality fountain pens, with solid gold points, guaranteed to give entire satisfaction—value $1, this hour, each, 39c.

$4.50 worth wall paper, 1.98
10 bolts neat wall paper, 8 bolts ceiling and 3 bolts of 18-in. border, in new designs and colors—worth $4.50, all for 1.98.

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French tapestry table covers, also Oriental covers, made of printed duck and cretonne cloth, reversible—worth $1.25 and $2, this hour, each, 89c. (Drapery dept.)

2 TO 3 P. M. TODAY.

42c black dress goods, yd., 25c
42-in. black dress goods in various styles, full weight —reg. price, 42c, during this hour, yard, 25c.

Women's 25c cuffs, pair, 12c
Women's 25c cuffs, with tight or fancy colors, broken sizes of our $1 lines, at, per pair, 50c.

Rubber aprons, 15c
Bromeless pure gum aprons, any size, women's or men's, at per pair, 25c. (Linen suit to ladies.) (Dress dept.)

Carpet art squares, 2.95
Fine all-wool carpet art squares for dining rooms and bed rooms, all colors, size 6x9 ft., during this hour at 2.95.

$1 gross de soie, yd., 37½c
Mercerized-twilled taffeta black lustrous de soie, 27 in. wide, guaranteed black fadeless, 24 in. wide, also satins woven on selvage, $1.50 quality, at only, yd., 1.19.

Shooting serpentine, yd., 23½c
Shooting serpentine, Castor flannel and shaker and suiting flannels—have been selling for 35c and 25c, during this hour, yd., 23½c.

Linen tablecloths, 49c
Pure linen hemstitched table cloths, size 58x58 in., reg. price 75c, this hour, each, 49c.

Boys' 84 full suits, 2.35
Boys' fine all-wool blue and black or fancy cheviot double breasted and Norfolk suits; also stylish short or long pants suits—reg. price $4, this hour, 2.35.

$2.50 corduroy skirts, 1.98
Women's 2-yd. corduroy skirts, in all colors, also plaid and mixed effects, lined throughout with percaline, velveteen bound, full sweep—worth $2.50, this hour, 1.98.

Women's 50c aprons, 25c
Women's percale aprons, in dark and light colors, also fancy lawns, trimmed with ruffles, bands and insertings—worth 50c, this hour, each, 25c.

Women's 87 lawn waists, 59c
Women's lawn waists, pleated or extensively tucked, stylish sleeves, large cuff and stock collar, all sizes, 32 to 42, during this hour, only 59c.

Children's wash dresses, 15c
Children's wash dresses, gingham or chambray, in plaids and checks, sizes 2 to 5 years, also women's school aprons, sizes 2 to 14 years, at only 15c.

25c cloth sets, 19c
Brilliant crystal glass berry or fruit sets consisting of bowl and 6 saucers—reg. price 25c, this hour, per set, 19c.

$2.50 worth wall paper, 1.05
10 bolts of gold embossed wall paper, 6 bolts of ceiling and 2 bolts of 18-in. blended border, handsome designs and colorings—worth $2.50, all for 1.05.

$25 ribbons, hair bows, 25c
Pretty plaid silk ribbon hair bows, all colors, also plain wide ribbon with hair pin attached ends, 25c. Elastic satin and leather belts, slightly soiled—worth 50c, this hour, only 25c.

10c suspenders, 7c
Children's suspenders, strongly made, in red, blue, tan, etc., this hour, only, pair, 7c.

$1 bobbinet curtains, pair, 39c
Fine ruffled bobbinet curtains, 3 in. tinted ruffles, with dainty lace insertings, also colored applique centers, fine curtains, in Irish point and renaissance effects—value $2, at only, pair, 39c.

25c coffee pots, 19c
Imported blue and white steel enameled tea and coffee pots, 1 and 2 qt. sizes—reg. price 25c, this hour, each, 19c.

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Boys' fine all-wool blue and black or fancy cheviot double breasted and Norfolk suits; also stylish short or long pants suits—reg. price $4, this hour, 2.35.

Children's 45c shoes, 25c
Children's kid lace shoes, also stylish cap toes, in tans and blacks, sizes 5 to 8, reg. from $1 to only, pair, 45c.

Women's $2.25 waists, 1.69
Women's chiffon taffeta waists, in the most fashionable shades, black only—worth $2.25, this hour, each, 1.69.

$5 worth wall paper, 99c
10 bolts of beautiful wall paper, 6 bolts of ceiling and 2 bolts of 9-in. border, in pretty designs and artistic colorings—worth $2, all for 99c.

$2.98 table lamps, 49c
Decorated parlor or table lamps, with globes to match, formerly sold at $2.98, during this hour, each, 49c.

$1.75 Silvers, each, 1.18
Roberts Silver, the only reinforced perfect water silver—reg. price, $1.75, during this hour only, each, 1.18.

81 Persian penne velvets, 1.98
Persian penne velvets, in stripes and all-over designs, 27 inches wide, for fine waists, worth $1 and $1.50, for this hour only, yd., 1.98. 36-in. black taffeta silk (not linen or cotton mixed), but guaranteed all silk—worth $2c, at only, yd., 1.98.

Women's $7.50 skirts, 3.89
Big lot of walking and dress skirts, plain or fancy trimmed styles, in brilliantines, voiles, panamas and mohairs, also cheviots and Venetians, black and blue—value up to $7.50, this hour, 3.89.

Infants' tie shoes, 5c
Infants' soft sole tie shoes, sizes 0 to 5—reduced for this hour to only 5c.

$1.75 wash dresses, 1.19
Lace lawn dresses, with tucked and lace insertings, in white and colors—value $1.75, for only 1.19.

25c wash braids, 15c
Fancy imported sterling braids, in white, blue, red and black, 25c value, for only, 15c.

Children's knit drawers, 5c
Large lot of children's ribbed knit drawers, also fancy lace trimmed knit drawers; also tucks, go during this hour, 5c.

25c Vacuum bulbs, 17c
Smooth interiors, plain Venetians and handsome mottlings, in new combinations, colors, specific parts well and durable workmanship, going this hour, 17c.

Women's 25 vici patterns, 19c
Large lot of imported white kid patterns, 2½

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NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

Pittsburgh	6—Cincinnati	3
New York	6—Brooklyn	0
St. Louis	5—Chicago	2
Philadelphia	4-0—Boston	1-2

Pirates Keep Stepping Closer to the Pennant

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

Boston	6—Philadelphia	4
Cleveland	1—Detroit	3
New York	3—Washington	2
St. Louis	1—Chicago	6

THE REDS AGAIN GET A TROUNCING

This Time Doheny Led the Clarke Forces to Success By Clever Pitching.

WAS WAGNER'S BUSY DAY

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	79	46	.632	Brooklyn	56	56	.500
New York	71	47	.602	Boston	48	66	.421
Chicago	68	48	.586	St. Louis	39	78	.333
Cincinnati	61	57	.535	Philadelphia	35	72	.327

LEAGUE GAMES TODAY.

Cincinnati at Exposition Park.
Brooklyn at New York.
Boston at Philadelphia.
Chicago at St. Louis.

If the Pirates had no harder proposition to contend with than the Cincinnati Reds then the pennant race would be a cakewalk for Clarke's crew. The second game of the final series was played yesterday and resulted in a Pirate victory, the final figures being 6 to 3.

The pitching selections for the afternoon were Doheny for the champions and Ewing for the visitors. The battle was in a measure a test of pitching skill, in which the Pirate bested his opponent every step of the way. Doheny not only pitched clever ball himself, but he fielded his position in fine style, and the support accorded him was the kind to be looked for from a pennant-winning combination. Those most active in clever work were Wagner, Leach, Bransfield and Beaumont.

It was Wagner's busy day, and the way the Carnegie boy cavorted about the field and ate up what looked like apparent base hits was a thing of joy to the 2,627 spectators. During the afternoon Hans had 11 chances, and he accepted all of them as clean as a whistle. The big fellow was also busy in other ways, as he had two hits, a single and a three-bagger. He brought home Leach with the Pirates' first tally and scored a run himself in the sixth after reaching first on balls.

Leach and Bransfield proved fine running mates for Hans, as each was very active in the field and allowed nothing to get away from them. Beaumont's contribution was a fly catch from Kelley's bat in the eighth inning after the hardest kind of a run. The style of game put up by the Pirates yesterday was fitting to the setting, and was pleasing to the team's friends, who did not fail to show their appreciation by unstinted applause.

Ewing, who was in the box for the visitors, got along in fine style until the sixth inning was reached, when the Pirate batters began to take liberties with his benders. They had scored one run in the first inning and would have had two but for a bad decision of the umpire, who called Beaumont out at the plate when he had not been touched. This bone, however, was scored by Leach, who had reached first on a single and scored on Wagner's three-bagger.

The Reds scored one in the second, when Steinfeldt reached first on balls, second on Daly's single, but was caught trying to make third. Daly reached second on the play and scored on Peitz' single to centre. The Cincinnati team went along with a tie score until the sixth, then the Pirates cut loose and pulled away from the Reds as easily as the Reliance did from the Shamrock.

Wagner, who was first up in the sixth, was sent to first on balls, and Bransfield made a successful bunt on which Wagner went to third. Kitty at once stole second, and both scored on Sebring's two-bagger down the left foul line. In the seventh a base on balls to Clarke, a three-bagger to centre by Leach and a single by Wagner and Bransfield produced two more runs. The final tally was made in the eighth by Doheny, who after forcing Phelps out at second, got around on an out at first and a slashing single by Clarke.

The Reds fought to the finish and scored two in the ninth. After Beckley had been retired Seybold got a rap on the leg which caused pain, and Donlin was allowed to run for him. Daly punched the ball to right for three bases, scoring Donlin, and Thomas got home on a fielder's choice. The score:

Pittsburgh	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Cincinnati	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Beaum't, m.	0	0	1	1	0	Kelley, l.	0	0	3	1	0
Clarke, l.	1	1	2	0	0	Seymour, m.	0	1	1	0	0
Leach, 3.	2	2	1	3	0	Dolan, c.	0	2	1	0	0
Wag'r, s.	1	2	1	10	0	Beckley, 1.	0	0	8	6	0
Bri'field, 1.	1	1	9	1	0	Steinf't, 3.	1	1	0	3	0
Kitchey, 2.	0	0	2	4	0	Daly, 2.	2	2	2	2	0
Sebring, r.	0	0	2	0	0	Corcoran, s.	0	1	4	2	0
Phelps, p.	0	0	2	0	0	Peitz, c.	0	0	4	6	0
Doheny, p.	1	0	0	5	0	Ewing, p.	0	0	0	1	0
Totals.	6	13	27	24	0	Totals.	3	8	*23	11	0

*Phelps hit by batted ball.

Pittsburgh	1	0	0	0	0	2	2	1	*—6
Cincinnati	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	3	0	0	0	0	2	0	3	—3

Two-base hit—Sebring. Three-base hits—Leach, Wagner. Daly. Sacrifice hits—Clarke, Beckley. Stolen base—Bransfield. Double play—Kitchey, Wagner and Bransfield. First base on balls—Off Doheny 2 (Beckley, Steinfeldt); off Ewing 3 (Beaumont, Clarke, Phelps). Hit by pitched ball—Steinfeldt. Struck out—By Doheny 7 (Kitchey, Doheny). Time—1:35. Umpire—Johnstone.

NOTES OF THE GAME.

Beaumont's catch from Kelley's bat in the eighth inning was a star bit of work and was loudly applauded by the crowd. Beaumont had a hard run, but he just managed to get under the ball and held to it.

That there is not any too much harmony in the ranks of the Cincinnati players was shown yesterday when Dreiser, Seibold and others got into a scolding match and language was used that was more strenuous than polite.

In the Reds' first inning yesterday Seymour reached first by reason of a single and he proceeded to get away and was nearly nipped by Doheny, who made a quick throw to Bransfield, and Cyrus was run down between the bases.

The Pirates and Reds do battle again today, and Jake Pitchers will likely be Poole and Leever. The Reds are anxious to take a game from the champions, and the Pirates are just as anxious to keep the Reds from getting a game as there is not much love lost between the players on the two teams.

Tommy Leach contributed a play in the third inning that was a hummer and brought cheers from the crowd. Dolan, who was at bat, made a perfect bunt and one that looked safe, but Tommy came in the run and after making a fast one hand pick up he shot the ball to Bransfield in time to head off the runner.

Manager and Capt. Kelley's throw to the plate in the first inning was one of the pretty plays of the game. The ball went straight into the hands of Catcher Peitz, who made a stab at Beaumont as he slid to the plate, but did not touch him. The umpire ruled otherwise, however, and the Pirates were cuchered out of a run.

Eddie Phelps was called out on a queer play in the sixth inning. Phelps was at bat and fouled a bunt, which he made all right and started for first with all speed on. He got his bat right in front of the plate and bounding back hit the runner, who was at once called out for being hit with a batted ball. Bransfield, who was on second base, went to third on the play, but he was promptly sent back to second.

There was a funny mix up when Doheny was at bat in the fourth inning. A ball had been batted over the grandstand and another one put into play. On the next pitch Doheny swung at the ball and knocked it foul, but at that moment the old ball which had been thrown back into the field rolled along in fair territory and Doheny thinking that was the ball he hit kept digging for first, but had to return to the bat.

Two new recruits for the Pirate ranks arrived yesterday and witnessed the game from the grandstand. The new players are Phelps, a left hand pitcher, and Marshall, an outfielder and first baseman, both of whom were with the San Francisco team this season. Both players have been on the road for a week and were tired on their arrival yesterday to do any work. Phelps hails originally from Cincinnati, and is said to possess speed and the curver. Marshall was called to Delehanty of the coast and has the reputation of being a terrific hitter. These new players will be given a chance to show their worth on the first opportunity.

ONE BAD INNING.

Brooklyn Went to Pieces in Sixth and Giants Won.

BROOKLYN, Sept. 3.—Up to the sixth inning the second game of the interborough series between the New York and Brooklyn teams was well played, but three errors by the locals in that inning spoiled what otherwise might have been a very close contest. The visitors scored six runs on two hits, five bases on balls and three errors. Mc-Ginty was right at top speed all the way through, while Jones, who pitched for the home team, had very good control at every stage except in this, for him, unlucky inning. Score:

N. York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Brooklyn.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Browne r.	0	1	1	0	0	Strang, 3.	0	2	0	3	1
V. Hal'n m.	1	2	3	0	0	Sheck'd, l.	0	0	0	0	0
McGann, l.	0	1	10	0	0	Dobbs, m.	0	0	3	0	0
Mertes, l.	1	1	2	0	0	Doyle, 1.	0	2	12	2	0
Babb, s.	1	2	2	1	0	Dahlen, s.	0	1	4	3	1
Lauder, 3.	1	0	3	1	0	Gessler, r.	0	0	1	0	0
Gilbert, 2.	1	1	2	3	0	Jordan, 2.	0	0	4	5	1
Warner, c.	1	1	4	1	0	Kitter, c.	0	0	3	1	0
McGinn'y p.	0	0	0	3	0	Jones, p.	0	0	0	0	0
						*McCre'y	0	0	1	0	0	0
Totals.	6	9	27	10	0	Totals.	0	6	27	16	3

*Batted for Jones in ninth inning.

New York	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6—6
Brooklyn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0

Left on bases—New York 7, Brooklyn 11. Two-base hits—Babb, Strang, Doyle. Three-base hit—Strang. Sacrifice hit—McGann. Stolen bases—McGann, Strang, Sheckard, Dahlen. Double plays—Dahlen and Doyle 2; Warner and Lauder. First base on balls—Off Jones 3, off McGinnity 6. First base on errors—New York 2. Hit by pitched ball—By Jones 1. Struck out—By Jones 1, by McGinnity 3. Time—1:44. Umpire—O'Day. Attendance—4,875.

AN EVEN SPLIT.

The Quakers Took First and Boston Second Game.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 3.—The locals won the first game of today's double-header with Boston and were shut out in the second. In the first game Stanley sprained his ankle while running the bases. Wolverton was ejected from the second game for disputing a decision. Attendance 2,206. Scores:

FIRST GAME.

Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Phila.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Dexter, m.	0	1	3	0	0	Thomas, m.	0	1	3	2	0
Tenney, l.	0	0	10	0	0	Gleason, 2.	0	1	1	2	2
Cooley, l.	0	1	1	1	0	Wolverton, 3.	0	1	1	2	0
Stanley, r.	0	1	0	0	0	Titus, r.	0	0	1	0	1
Carney, r.	0	0	1	1	0	Barry, l.	0	2	3	0	0
Moran, c.	0	1	4	3	0	Hallman, 1.	1	2	12	0	0
Ab'chio, 2.	0	0	2	4	0	Hulswitt, s.	0	1	3	2	0
Grem'r, 3.	1	2	1	3	0	Doolin, c.	1	1	3	1	1
Aubrey, s.	0	0	3	2	1	Sparks, p.	1	1	0	3	0
Willis, p.	0	0	0	2	0						
Totals.	1	6	24	14	3	Totals.	4	10	27	14	4

Boston	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	—1
Philadelphia	0	0	0	1	0	2	1	0	*	—4

Two-base hit—Sparks. Sacrifice hits—Gleason, Doolin, Aubrey. Stolen bases—Thomas, Wolverton, Hallman, Doolin. Double plays—Greminger and Penney. Left on bases—Boston 5, Philadelphia 11. First base on balls—Off Willis 6. Struck out—By Willis 6, by Sparks 1. Wild pitch—Sparks. Time—1:45. Umpires—Moran and Hurst.

SECOND GAME.

Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Phila.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Dexter, m.	1	0	2	0	0	Thomas, m.	0	1	5	0	0
Tenney, l.	0	1	12	1	0	Gleason, 2.	0	0	4	4	1
Cooley, l.	0	0	1	0	0	Wolv'ton 3.	0	1	0	2	0
Carney, r.	0	1	2	0	0	Doolin, l.	0	0	3	0	0
Moran, c.	0	0	11	4	0	Titus, r.	0	1	1	0	0
Ab'chio, 2.	1	2	4	4	1	Barry, l.	0	1	2	0	0
Grem'r, 3.	0	0	1	4	1	H'man 1-3.	0	0	8	1	0
Aubrey, s.	0	1	2	2	3	Hulswitt, s.	0	0	2	7	1
Willis, p.	0	1	2	2	0	Roth, c.	0	0	0	1	0	1
						McFet'r, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0
						*Mitchell	0	0	1	0	0	0
Totals.	2	6	27	20	3	Totals.	0	5	27	18	3

*Batted for McFetridge in ninth.

Boston	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	—2
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Two-base hits—Titus, Barry. Sacrifice hits—Greminger, Aubrey. Stolen bases—Greminger, Abbatichio. Double play—Hulswitt, Grason and Doolin. Left on bases—Boston 8, Philadelphia 10. First base on balls—Off Williams 6, off McFetridge 3. Struck out—By Williams 1, by McFetridge 1. Time—1:40. Umpires—Hurst and Moran.

THE CARDINALS WON.

Managed to Get a Game from the Chicago Team.

CHICAGO, Sept. 3.—The locals were unable to hit either of the St. Louis pitchers with men on bases, and three times hit into easy double plays. Their errors were costly, and with a couple of sacrifices and bunched hits in three innings the visitors won easily. Attendance 1,400. Score:

Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Slagle, m.	0	1	2	0	0	Farrell, 2.	1	3	3	6	1
McCar'y, l.	0	1	1	0	0	Dunl'vy, r.	1	0	0	0	0
Chance, l.	0	0	15	0	1	Shoch'd, m.	0	0	1	0	0
Jones, r.	0	0	0	0	0	Burke, 3.	1	2	2	5	0
Tinker, 3.	0	1	0	2	1	Ryan, l.	0	1	0	1	0
Kling, c.	0	1	4	1	0	Brain, s.	1	1	4	0	1
Evers, 2.	0	0	1	1	5	O'Neill, c.	0	1	3	0	0
Wilms, s.	2	2	3	3	0	Brown, p.	0	0	0	0	0
Taylor, p.	0	0	0	0	0	Hackett, p.	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.	2	7	27	17	4	Totals.	5	8	27	17	2

Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1—2
St. Louis	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0—5

Left on bases—Chicago 9, St. Louis 6. Two-base hits—Burke, Wilms, McCarthy. Three-base hit—Brain. Sacrifice hits—Dunleavy, Smoot. Stolen bases—Slagle, Farrell, Barclay, Williams. Double plays—Taylor, Kling and Wilms; Brain to Ryan; Farrell and Ryan; Brain, Farrell and Ryan. Struck out—By Taylor 4, by Hackett 2. Bases on balls—Off Brown 4, off Hackett 1. Wild pitch—Hackett. Hit by pitched ball—Cuneo. Time—1:50. Umpire—Emslie.

McDonald Beat Washington.

M'DONALD, PA., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—Washington met defeat today at the hands of the McDonald team in a game that was full of snap and vim. The feature of the game was the batting of the McDonald boys, who had three home runs. Score:

McDonald	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Washington	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Shuster, s.	1	3	1	3	0	Erlser, 3.	1	1	1	4	2
Lawrence, 1.	1	1	0	6	0	Eckler, c.	0	2	7	1	0
Beitch'y, 2.	1	1	3	2	0	Comfort, m.	1	3	2	0	0
Donahue, r.	0	0	2	1	0	McCon'l, 1.	0	1	2	0	0
Ellis, m.	0	0	0	0	0	Muldoon, s.	0	0	0	3	1
Sweeney, 1.	0	0	0	1	0	Collins, 2.	0	2	0	1	0
Morgan, c.	2	2	7	0	0	Brlshin, r.	0	0	0	0	0
Laund'n, 3.	2	2	1	0	0	Wells, l.	0	0	0	0	0
Delbold, p.	1	1	1	2	1	Monroe, p.	1	1	1	1	1
Totals.	9	12	24	13	1	Totals.	3	10	28	11	4

McDonald	0	0	2	1	2	0	2	0	2	*—9
Washington	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0—3

Bases on balls—Off Delbold 4, off Monroe 1. Double play—McDonald (unassisted). Struck out—By Delbold 6, by Monroe 4. Umpire—Sweeney.

Ohio Works Won Easy Game.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—In a game devoid of features, Ohio Works defeated East Akron this afternoon. The first innings were a series of errors and bases on balls, which Ohio took advantage of. Kittinger was knocked out of the box in the fourth inning, but Watts did but little better. Ohio played fast ball all through the game and did some heavy hitting. The score:

Ohio Works										
	0	1	0	2	3	1	2	*	—15
Akron	1	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0—	5

Home run—Gouzzie. Three-base hits—Volk, James 2, Starr. Two-base hits—Watts, Ward, Staunith. Stolen bases—Resch, Watts. Sacrifice hits—Ward, Truesdale. Double plays—Ward, Volk and Bedur. Left on bases—Ohio 5, Akron 7. Bases on balls—Off Kittinger 5, off Watts 3. Hit by pitched ball—Resch, Mang. Struck out—By Lee 2, by Dolly 2, by Kittinger 3, by Watts 3. Passed balls—Brownell. Wild pitch—Watts. Time—2:15. Umpire—Evans.

Great Crowd at Mercer Races.

MERCER, PA., Sept. 3.—The attendance at the Stoneboro fair today was 10,000. The features were the races, but two of which were completed. The 2:18 pace was won by Eph Cinders of Mercer, in straight heats.

2:29 pace; purse $200.

Dinner Bell	1	4	2	1	1
Kiems	4	1	1	2	2
May Tell	2	2	4	3	3
Habit	3	3	3	4	4
Hally McMack	5	dr			
Nancy Perkins	6	dr			

Time, 2:24½; 2:29¼; 2:29¼; 2:24¼; 2:25.

2:18 pace; purse $300.

Eph Cinders	1	1	1
Shadeland	6	2	2
Raymond Russell	2	4	3
Klondike	3	6	5
King David	5	5	4
Agitabula Hal	4	3	dis

Time, 2:09; 2:17½; 2:19.

Scottdale Won the Game.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—The rival Scottdale and Mt. Pleasant baseball teams came to Connellsville today and played a game for $100 a side at Athletic park. Scottdale won the game by a score of 19 to 8. Batteries—Scottdale, Palmer and Rush; Mt. Pleasant, Palmer, Beckhill and King.

CANADA'S GREAT FAIR.

Toronto, Ontario, Closes September 12.

The Pennsylvania railroad will sell each Tuesday during September, 15-day excursion tickets, Pittsburgh to Niagara Falls and return, at rate of $7.45, and to Toronto and return, at rate of $8.90.

Trains leave Union station at 9 a. m. and 11 p. m., eastern standard time. Pullman service on all through trains.

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ELECTRICIANS IN ANNUAL MEETING

John H. Dorrington of Pittsburgh a Strong Candidate for President.

DEEP SUBJECTS DISCUSSED

Municipal Harnessers of Lightning Are Holding Big Convention at Atlantic City—Organization Favors the Adoption of Uniform Apparatus.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Young's Ocean Pier,
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Sept. 3.

Additional delegates to the eighth annual convention of the International Association of Municipal Electricians, which opened at the Hotel Ruolf on Wednesday, arrived yesterday, swelling the total attendance to 250. It is one of the most important sessions the organization ever held and some comment is caused by reason of Pittsburgh not being officially represented. Heretofore the Steel City's electrician took an important part in all proceedings. Elmer G. Lootnir, city electrician of Allegheny, is there, as well as John H. Dorrington, electrician of the court house, morgue and jail of Allegheny county, in whose interest has been started a boom for the presidency of the organization. J. d'Estrampes, official electrician of Havana, Cuba, is attending in the interest of his municipality.

The organization's aims are all for the public benefit, one of the objects being to get uniform systems all over the world and discussions of the comparative cost of different forms of equipment.

A. S. Hatch read an exhaustive paper along these lines today and his effort, with the opening of the question box, formed an interesting study from a scientific standpoint. The organization loses no time in banquets, but after sessions the members indulge in their own forms of amusement and pastime.

The organization is composed of the superintendents of police and fire bureaus throughout the country and others in charge of municipal electric lighting plants. The election of officers will take place Friday. William H. Thompson, the president, cannot succeed himself, and while Dorrington only has been mentioned as his successor, it is understood that eight or more cities are grooming candidates. It is a regular "rubber shoe" campaign.

Interest centers in a demonstration to be held tomorrow night of a new mercury vapor lamp and static converter. It is shed through a long globe, gives a powerful and peculiar light, especially adapted for photographic work, and is designed in the hope of supplanting the present incandescent lamp. Dr. Max von Reichlinghausen of New York will lecture on the virtues of the invention. In all probability Secretary Frank P. Foster of Corning, N. Y., and Treasurer Adam Bosch of Newark, N. J., both of whom are rounding out their fourth terms, will be re-elected.

Pittsburghers at the Hotels.

BRENTON.
George T. Ball,
Miss Snyder.
BOWKERS.
Miss Lansbourn.
CHETWOODE.
Miss Lida Fisher.
COLEMAN.
Samuel Weiler.
CONQUERORS.
Miss D. Cummings.
EDEN HALL.
Miss Mary M. Potter.
FREDONIA.
Edwin H. White.
KILLCOURSE.
John H. Bogart.
LA LORRAINE.
Miss L. Hockman.
MORRIS.
Miss Alice Fisher.
IRVINE.
Miss Carrie Brayne.
ROSSMORE.
Howard Church,
Miss Buck.
RIO GRANDE.
Frank Kelly,
John Price.
RITTENHOUSE.
Miss Nellie Garrett.
SILVERTON.
Robert Lewis,
Miss Taylor.
STRAND.
Miss J. Clark.
W. D. Chapman,
Mrs. Chapman.
SAN JOSE.
Mr. Harris,
Miss Peoples.
WORTHINGTON.
Frank Boswell.
CHELTENHAM.
Miss I. Eldridge.
DUQUESNE-MARION.
Miss Lottie Lewis.
CARLETON HALL.
Miss Edith Howitz.
HAINES HOTEL.
J. H. McElhon.
BELMONT.
R. D. Lawrence.
YOUNG'S HOTEL.
William P. Deazell,
F. Harrison.
STRATHHAVEN.
Miss Mary Vandergrift.
J. Griscom,
Mrs. R. M. Griscom,
Arthur S. Carson,
James J. Bowman.
DENNIS.
Samuel M. Mitchell.
Charles S. Holmes,
Mrs. Holmes.
Mary C. Holmes.
HADDON HALL.
Dr. Speece,
Mrs. Speece.
D. Campbell,
Mrs. Campbell,
Miss A. Black.
Mrs. W. McDonald,
John S. Crawford,
W. S. Lewis,
Mrs. Lewis,
Miss Farrell,
B. Sinn.
KUEHNLES.
Robert W. Curry,
Charles C. Richards,
James Sinn.
MORRIS.
Charles H. Phillips.
RALEIGH.
James P. Fell,
A. Loonce,
Mrs. Leonce.
ROCKFORD.
K. W. Laving,
Mrs. J. Marshall,
Miss Marshall,
Miss B. Marshall,
Miss Edna Marshall,
Harry A. Smith.
SENATE.
William K. Parkes.
AGNEW.
J. K. Davis,
Mrs. Davis.
Mrs. L. Lathrop,
Miss S. Lathrop.

JURY COULD NOT AGREE.

Dealer Charged With Adulterating Milk Escapes—Murder Bill Ignored.

GREENSBURG, PA., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—After deliberating the entire night the jury in the case of A. P. Loucks of Scottdale, charged with selling adulterated milk, reported this morning that they were unable to agree. The other Scottdale dealers charged with selling adulterated milk pleaded guilty.

The grand jury ignored the bill against Allessandro Macchione, who was charged with the murder of Serafino Bonaccio at the Vogel hotel, Webster, last Thanksgiving day. It developed at the coroner's inquest that the killing of Bonaccio had been in self-defense, but Leopolda Adams of Allegheny county, a friend of the dead man, preferred a charge of murder against Macchione.

Sharon Trolleys to Cleveland.

SHARON, PA., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—Ground has been broken at Middlefield for the construction of the Sharon to Cleveland traction line. The line is being built by the Eastern Trust Company of New York and will open up a rich and populous farming country. At Middlefield it will connect with the Cleveland and eastern traction lines. The road from Middlefield to Sharon is 45 miles long.

Outing By Order of Stags.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Sept. 3.—(Special.) Fully 300 prominent men from all the cities in this vicinity will assemble next Thursday at Trout island for the 26th annual outing of the Grand and Noble Order of stags, which has been held there yearly since 1877. Myron Wood of Youngstown is president and Reuben W. Cohen of Sharon is secretary.

Strangler Awaits Execution.

HAMILTON, O., Sept. 3.—Alfred A. Knapp, known as the strangler, was taken to Columbus today by Sheriff Bischoff to await his execution in the electric chair December 12. Knapp was unmoved with his change of location and expressed the hope that he would soon be back in Hamilton.

The Most Delightful Season of the Year at the Seashore Will Be on and After September the Tenth.

Pennsylvania railroad will run their last seashore excursion for season of 1903 on above date. Ten dollars round trip, good in coaches only; or twelve dollars round trip, good in parlor or sleeping cars when accompanied by the usual Pullman tickets. Train leaves Union station at 8:55 a. m. Tickets good 15 days.

"A Chat With an Educated Horse," by John Kendrick Bangs, in The Sunday Gazette.

NEW CASTLE BRIDE AND GROOM

GEORGE H. PRESTON. MRS. GEORGE H. PRESTON.
(Photograph by Seavy.)

NEW CASTLE, PA., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—The marriage this evening of Mr. George H. Preston and Miss Margaret Wallace was an event which interested society circles. The ceremony occurred at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Wallace of Wabash avenue, Rev. M. W. Keith of the Seventh ward Presbyterian church, officiating. The bride is a popular member of the younger society set and is a member of an old established and prominent family. Her father is a wholesale lumber merchant who has resided here and been in business for nearly half a century. The groom, who is now engaged in the real estate business in Zelienople, Pa., is a son of ex-City Treasurer John H. Preston and is a member of "The Fellows club," a leading society organization. Mr. and Mrs. Preston left at 10 o'clock tonight for a trip to lake points and after their return will reside at Zelienople, Pa., where they will be at home to their friends after October 1st.

WITHDRAWAL OF GOLD RAISES DISCOUNT RATE

Germany Bankers Laid Hands on All Yellow Metal They Could Find.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

LONDON, Sept. 3.—The rate of discount of the Bank of England was increased today from 3 to 4 per cent. When asked what was the cause and what would be the effect of the increase in the bank rate, Lord Rothschild said: "Some little time ago a high official of the Bank of Germany announced that it would probably be necessary to raise the German rate in the middle of September. He informed me that it was because of the expected demand from mortgages which in Germany all fall due October 1 and must be paid in gold or in bank notes.

"The Germany bankers were much averse to the project held out by the Bank of Germany and proceeded to lay hands on all the loose gold they could get in the hope of staving off the rise. Their operations culminated today in the withdrawal of between $3,500,000 and $4,000,000 in gold from the Bank of England. The only action left to our bank was to raise the rate. It will teach the German bankers that they cannot play ducks and drakes with the English gold supply."

The colonial office's clumsy method of arranging for the repayment in Berlin of the Netherlands South African railroad debentures may have contributed to the present condition, but only slightly. France will now have to supply gold, which will go to America for the crops.

THE DEATH ROLL

John Patterson.

John Patterson, aged 75 years, died at his home, No. 201 Railroad avenue, Carnegie, yesterday morning. The cause of his death was general debility. Mr. Patterson was well known as a veteran of the civil war. He served three years in Company K, First Pennsylvania cavalry, in the army of the Potomac. He was a member of both the Grand Army of the Republic and the Union Veteran Legion, being identified with Capt. Thomas Espy post of Carnegie of the G. A. R. He came of fighting stock, his father having served in the war of 1812 and his grandfather in the war of the Revolution. His son, James D. Patterson, was in the Spanish-American war. Mr. Patterson had been a Republican since the party was founded and for 60 years had been a regular reader of The Gazette. He was a member of the First Presbyterian church of Carnegie. The funeral services will be held at 1:30 p. m. tomorrow, interment to be at Melrose cemetery near Bridgeville. Trains leave Carnegie station at 2:05 p. m.

Mrs. Barbara Pletscher.

Mrs. Barbara Pletscher, nee Grob, wife of Henry Pletscher, died at her home, No. 39 Prospect street, Etna, yesterday at 2:40 a. m. of bronchitis and typhoid fever, after an illness of seven weeks. She was 52 years old. She was born in Clarius, Switzerland, and came to this country in 1886 with her parents, settling in Etna, where she married Henry Pletscher in 1873, and where she has since resided. She was a member of the German Lutheran church. She is survived by her husband and six children—Rosa Pletscher, Henry Pletscher and Lilly of Etna, George and Magdalena of Sharpsburg and Mrs. A. F. Young of Sharpsburg. The funeral will be held from her late residence tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, with interment in Etna cemetery.

John S. Lee.

John Skelton Lee, aged 80 years, born and brought up in Pittsburgh, died at 2 a. m. yesterday at the family residence, No. 320 Lehigh avenue. He was a son of Caleb Lee, who came to Pittsburgh from New York early in the century and established a tailor shop in Market street. John S. Lee, with a brother, Caleb, succeeded to the father's business. The brother died a few years ago. He had always lived a retired life. Mr. Lee belonged to the Sixth Presbyterian church. He is survived by a widow, by Caleb Lee of Oakmont and two sisters, Mrs. Anna Alexander of Oakmont and Mrs. Emma Marandell of Pittsburgh also survive. The funeral services will be held at 2 p. m. tomorrow.

Martin N. Richards.

Martin N. Richards died suddenly of diabetes at Carnegie yesterday. He was in his 63d year. He is survived by a widow, two sons, Ross A. Richards of Washington, Pa., and Martin H. Richards of Harrisburg, and four daughters, Mrs. Charles Balfour of Boston, Mass.; Mrs. L. G. Mong and Mrs. D. B. Noble of Erie, and Miss Daisy, at the family home at Harrisburg. The body will be taken to Harrisburg today for burial.

Obituary Notes.

J. Newton Hackney of Uniontown, Pa., is dead, aged 58 years.

Isaac N. Atkins, 77 years old, of Beaver, is dead. He was born in Connellsville in 1826.

Miss Mary L. Donovan of Youngstown, O., sister of P. J. and C. P. Donovan of Pittsburgh, died yesterday at 11 a. m.

Mrs. Amanda C. Schmutz, aged 45, wife of Capt. C. J. Schmutz of Cumberland, Md., is dead. She was a native of Meyersdale.

Miss Louise Peters, aged 72 years, a German musician of note, died suddenly at Thousand Islands park, at Watertown, N. Y. She was possessed of considerable wealth.

Frank H. Baldwin, aged 62 years, died at 8:15 p. m. yesterday at the residence of H. M. Baldwin, No. 5501 Colomba street, East End. Interment will be made at New Castle, Sat.

Miss Emma Welty, daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Welty, died at her home Sharon yesterday morning. The funeral services will be held at the family residence tomorrow afternoon at 2:30.

J. B. Crawford, aged 42 years, died Wednesday morning at Tarentum. Funeral services will be held at the residence of his father, G. T. Crawford of Kittanning, at 2 p. m. tomorrow.

Mrs. Emily A. Dalzell, wife of Robert Dalzell, died at her home at Wexford, yesterday. The funeral services will be held at the residence of her son, James A. Dalzell, No. 166 Southern avenue, Mt. Washington, at 2:30 p. m. tomorrow.

George W. Snyder, husband of Mary Snyder of Pittsburgh, died yesterday morning at the National Soldiers' home, at Dayton, O., in his 75th year. He served in the civil war in Company F, second West Virginia infantry. The funeral services will be held today at the Soldiers' home.

Judge Yerkes Accepts.

DOYLESTOWN, PA., Sept. 3.—Judge Herman Yerkes today formally accepted the nomination for president judge of courts on the Democratic ticket for the third term. On Monday, September 14, the Republicans will hold a convention to nominate a county ticket and will also name a candidate in opposition to Judge Yerkes.

FOG STOPPED FIRING IN SEA GIRT CONTEST

New Jersey Team Leads in the International Regimental Match.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

SEA GIRT, N. J., Sept. 3.—A heavy fog which completely enveloped the rifle range here late this afternoon ended all work before the targets and prevented the competitors from finishing the interstate regimental match. The competitions were begun early in the morning and only one of them, the Columbia trophy match, was concluded. Twenty of the 27 teams competing for the interstate trophy finished. The officials of the meet tonight decided that firing shall be resumed in the interstate regimental team match tomorrow.

When the firing in the interstate regimental team match was stopped for the day, the First New Jersey team was in the lead, with the First District of Columbia second, the Seventy-first New York (first team) third, Sixth Ohio fourth and the Second District of Columbia fifth. The score at the conclusion of the firing at the 200-yard stage of the interstate team match were:

Sixth Massachusetts, 261; First New Jersey, 258; Second District of Columbia, 257; Sixth Ohio, 257; Marine Corps, first team, 257; First District of Columbia, 256; Fourth New Jersey, 255; Fifth New Jersey, 255; Third New Jersey, 255; Third Ohio, 252; Marine Corps, third team, 253; Seventh New York, 252; First Corps Cadets, Boston, 251; First Rhode Island, 249; Second Connecticut, 248; Second New Jersey, 244; Seventy-first New York, 243; Sixth Maryland, 243; Seventy-first New York, second team), 243; Twelfth New York, 241; Battery B, Massachusetts, 241; United States Navy (Columbia team), 240; United States Navy (Marine team), 236; Pennsylvania Squadron, 236; Marine Corps (third team), 235; Second Pennsylvania, 233; Third Pennsylvania, 222.

BRITISH GIVE IT UP.

Concede That There Is Little Prospect of England Ever Lifting the Cup.

LONDON, Sept. 3.—The final defeat of Sir Thomas Lipton's cup challenger, Shamrock III., was received in London with absolute listlessness. Most of the afternoon papers published a special edition announcing the result of the cup race, but the announcement had already been discounted by the dispatches giving the progress of the race.

The consensus of opinion is that Sir Thomas Lipton has done everything that time and money could accomplish and widespread sympathy for him is shown. The chief hope expressed in the streets is that Canada will enter the lists next year and possibly succeed where the mother country has failed. It seems improbable that, in view of the failure of Shamrock III., another challenger will soon be dispatched from England.

COOLEY COMING HERE.

Will Consult Federal Officials About Merging Civil Service Boards.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—Commissioner Cooley of the civil service commission will visit the president tomorrow for the purpose of discussing with him the regulation of laborers in the federal service. After leaving Oyster Bay Mr. Cooley will begin a general tour of inspection. He will inspect the operation of the civil service law in the Philadelphia mint.

Then he will visit New York, Albany, Buffalo, Cleveland, Toledo, Detroit, Chicago, Indianapolis, Louisville, Cincinnati, Columbus and Pittsburgh to confer with federal officials as to the advisability of consolidating the civil service boards and establishing civil service districts in those cities similar to those established for Philadelphia and Boston.

ELEVEN PERSONS INJURED BY A TROLLEY CAR WRECK

CINCINNATI, Sept. 3.—By the collision of a College Hill trolley car with a transfer wagon today, Charles Abram, Frederick Perry, M. Manley and Miss Clara were seriously, and Sydney F. Carter, Christina Boffemeyer, Maria Boffemeyer, Florence Krehborth, Miss Pearl Johnson, Mrs. Bonnie Tuttle and Henry Mettenbrink, painfully injured.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

Frank Israel	Pittsburgh
Lena Grafmall	Pittsburgh
H. Elmo Childs	Sharon
Lillian B. Anderson	Pittsburgh
Arthur Carsson	McKeesport
Ida Mystrom	McKeesport
Arthur McCleaky	Finleyville, Pa.
Bessie M. Hartford	Finleyville, Pa.
Hugh C. McCaughan	Pittsburgh
Harvey R. Arthur	Allegheny
Marks Paun	Allegheny
Catherine Mates	Allegheny
Elmer M. Young	Pittsburgh
M. Jane Dolehanty	Pittsburgh
Charles Rets	Pittsburgh
Olga Hufnagel	Pittsburgh
Nellie W. Ramsey	Allegheny
Courley Hazlet	Allegheny
Winifred Henry	Allegheny
Walter S. Crow	McKees Rocks
Josephine Connair	McKees Rocks
Edward J. Wilson	Allegheny
Louise M. Grier	Allegheny
John F. Robergon	Avalon
Winella Eckert	Allegheny
Andrue G. Pinkerton	Allegheny
Annie Calender	Allegheny
Charles Klein	Pittsburgh
Bertha Berkwitz	Pittsburgh
George A. Coulson	Pittsburgh
Annie Gardner	Pittsburgh
Raymond L. Patterson	Pittsburgh
Mary P. Bird	Pittsburgh
John Rendecker	McKees Rocks
Maria Buhl	McKees Rocks

ASHTABULA EXCURSION TRAIN SUNDAY MORNING.

Via Pennsylvania Lines.

Leaves Pittsburgh Union station 9:35 a. m., Allegheny 9:42 a. m., city time. Round trip $2.50. Excursion tickets good to return Monday.

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SOCIETY

MISS NELLIE WATSON RAMSEY and Harvey A. Arthur, both of Allegheny, were the principals in a pretty home wedding last evening. The bride is a daughter of Mrs. Catherine Ramsey of Kirkpatrick avenue. The Rev. James W. Witherspoon of the Fifth United Presbyterian church officiated at the ceremony at 8:30 o'clock. Those, including only the immediate relatives and friends of the principals, were present to the number of 75. Miss Carrie Luella Hunter of Irwin avenue, was the bride's only attendant, William C. Martin serving as best man. The bride's gown was a dainty creation of white silk mousseline, made with a bertha effect and elaborately trimmed with duchesse lace. A plumed aigrette was worn in the hair, while she carried white roses. Miss Hunter, the honor maid, wore a modish gown of mousseline and carried pink roses.

Green and white prevailed in the artistic creations. In the dining room, where the ceremony took place, a high embankment of palms and ferns was made, before which the bridal couple stood. White roses entwined the green. Asparagus fern was trailed over the chandeliers, the green contrasting with the pink globes. The dark-green parlor looked well in its adornment of white, roses being used effectively. A wedding supper was served after the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur departing later in the evening for a tour of the Great lakes. They will be at home shortly in Kirkpatrick avenue, with Mrs. Ramsey.

Eckert-Robertson.

The little Grace Lutheran church, in Spring Garden avenue, Allegheny, was the scene of an exceedingly pretty wedding last evening. Miss Minella Eckert, daughter of George Eckert of Spring Garden avenue, was the bride and John Falls Robertson the bridegroom. Promptly at 7 o'clock the bridal party entered the church, Miss Katherine Lingerfelser accompanied by Walter Oswald, playing the wedding march. Attending the bride was Miss Nellie Brown, the maid of honor; Miss Elsie Eckert, a sister, and Miss Jean Robertson, a sister of the bridegroom, as bridesmaids. Homer Marshall acted as Mr. Robertson's best man. Edward Weigle, William S. McKee, C. L. Johns and Robert Lowden served as ushers. White lawn composed the gowns of the bride, pink mousseline being worn by the honor maid, while the bride was gowned in a cream lace-trimmed costume. Her veil was fastened with a diamond pin. The bride and her attendants carried white asters, with the exception of Miss Brown, whose flowers were pink blossoms.

The Rev. G. Irvin Lenker, pastor of the church, performed the ceremony, with 400 friends of the young couple witnessing it. After a brief reception at the Eckert home in Spring Garden avenue Mr. Robertson and his bride left for the east. They will be at home on dates after October 1 in Jackson street, Bellevue.

Lesnett Family Reunion.

The descendants of Christian Lesnett, one of the first settlers in this part of the state, held a reunion at Lesnetta Grove, about one mile from Bridgeville, yesterday. Over 325 descendants of the old pioneer gathered on the grounds and the day was spent in games, eating and social chat, a big basket lunch having been secured for the occasion. In the afternoon a dinner was served. Among those present were members of the Lesnett family from Ohio and West Virginia. Christian Lesnett first settled in Bridgeville in 1795 and later returned to Germany, from which country he had emigrated. In 1798 he returned to America with his family, secured a grant of land near Bridgeville and lived there the rest of his life. There are now about 1,000 descendants of his living in Western Pennsylvania and Ohio. A tract of the grant of land given to him is still owned by members of the Lesnett family near Bridgeville. The last reunion was held four years ago on this property. The next reunion will be held in about four years, the place of meeting, however, not having been settled upon yet.

Gossip of Oakmont.

Miss Anna Taylor of Oakmont was hostess at a very delightful peanut and fancy work party yesterday afternoon from 2 until 5 o'clock. Six tables, with four guests at each, were filled with peanuts which were lifted with tongs without touching their neighbors. Prizes were awarded Miss Mary Lee Pratt, Mrs. Oscar and Miss Lee Pratt, the latter of Parnassus. Miss Taylor, aunt of the hostess, was honor guest. Mrs. William T. Drill will entertain with a fancy work this afternoon. Mrs. Drill will receive informally with no special guest of honor. The younger members of Oakmont society are looking forward to the Oakmont Boat club regatta, which is to be held on Monday next. Tub races, canoe, swimming and several other races will be held and a dinner will be served at the boat house at 6:30 o'clock. On Thursday next, the club members hold their second moonlight dance at Hulton Grove. About 100 invitations have been issued for this affair.

Pretty Home Wedding.

A pretty home wedding which took place last evening was that of Miss Bessie M. Hartford, daughter of Mrs. A. L. Hartford of Howley avenue, and Hugh C. McCaughan of this city. The wedding was a home event, the Rev. J. R. McIsaac of the Seventh United Presbyterian church performing the ceremony. The guests included only the relatives of the bride and bridegroom. A sister of the bride was matron of honor. A. G. McCaughan acted as best man. A wedding supper was served, after which the newly wedded couple left for a tour of New York and other eastern cities. After October 1 they will be at home in Howley avenue.

Eastman-Benson.

Dr. T. N. Eastman of Uniontown, Pa., and Miss Ella Benson of Markdale, Ontario, Canada, were married at the home of her parents Tuesday evening last. The groom is the eldest son of the late Dr. Henry Eastman, a prominent physician of Fayette county for half a century, and is 46 years of age. After graduating from Washington and Jefferson college and Philadelphia Medical college he returned to his native county. He is also a director in the Second National bank of Uniontown and one of the prime movers in the building of the Uniontown hospital. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Benson, whose beautiful home is near Toronto. They left the city of Toronto yesterday to tour the eastern cities. After an absence of two months they will return to their home and friends in Uniontown.

At the Gardens.

Among those who will entertain at Duquesne Gardens this evening are J. K. Sprague, Charles Sweeny, Miss Jennie Doyle, W. G. Allison, W. C. Temple, Capt. J. H. Henderson, L. C. Moynes, W. Meeks, C. K. Brown, L. M. York, W. J. Wilson, E. B. Phillips and Mrs. A. Millikan. Tomorrow afternoon several matinee parties are scheduled. Warren Dippold will be host to a number of his young friends. The Misses McKaig and the Misses Stuart will also entertain. In the evening box parties will be given by James Latrobe, H. F. Bowers, Robert Flowers, J. C. Hatch, W. K. Miller, J. C. Boyle, Joseph B. Wendell and E. V. Burkham.

Christian Endeavor Members Will Picnic.

The members of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor connected with the Second Presbyterian church will picnic at Highland park tomorrow. Letters have been sent to each member by the president, Lewis M. Foster, reminding them of the resumption of the working season. Plans for the future work will be discussed at the picnic. Supper will be served at 6:30 o'clock at the pavilion near Lake Carnegie, all the members, friends and their friends being invited. Miss Margaret Agnew is secretary of the society, and the Rev. S. Edward Young, pastor of the church.

Pittsburgher Marries in Delmont.

GREENSBURG, PA., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—At Beach Creek, the pretty summer home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Shaw near Delmont, Miss Jennie R. Shaw and Carl Henkel of Allegheny were married by the Rev. W. G. Nevin, pastor of the Delmont Presbyterian church. The ceremony was witnessed by 80 guests from Pittsburgh, Allegheny, Braddock, Crafton and Saltsburg. A wedding dinner was served and Mr. and Mrs. Henkel were driven to Greensburg, where they left for a honeymoon in the eastern cities.

Speakman—Gregg.

Miss Ida Phoebe Speakman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Speakman of Carnegie, and Harry Gerald Gregg of McKeesport, were married at the home of the bride's parents at 7:45 o'clock last evening, the Rev. G. H. Miller of Boston officiating, assisted by the Rev. P. C. Brooks of Leechburg. The wedding was a quiet but prettily arranged one. Mr. Gregg has been a student at the Allegheny college at Meadville and this fall will enter the Boston Theological seminary. The young couple will be at home in Boston after September 1, remaining there until the bridegroom completes his studies.

Two New Castle Weddings.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—Two interesting weddings will occur here next Thursday evening, when Harry Bryan of the Citizens National bank will be married to Miss Nellie Pessler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Pessler, of North Mercer street, and when Clarence E. Miller and Miss Emma M. Perry will be married. The wedding will occur at the same hour at the homes of the parents of the brides, and later the two couples will start out and take a wedding trip along the lakes.

Two Quiet Weddings.

Miss Mabel Lewis Davis, daughter of John W. Davis of East Arlington avenue, and J. Edward Shontell were quietly married yesterday. Miss Lillian Anderson and Elmer Childs, the latter of Sharon, were married yesterday at the home of the bride's mother in Walter avenue, Pittsburgh.

Pretty Dance at Oakwood.

Oakwood pavilion was the scene of a pretty dance last evening, the affair being the last of the season given under the auspices of the Tonquish club. A number of pretty gowns were worn by the young ladies. Koscerski's orchestra furnished the music. One pavilion during the stated hours being filled with dancers.

Campe.-Brown.

Among the weddings of yesterday was that of Miss Vida M. Campos and Walter Brown, which took place at the home of the bride's parents in Longfellow street, Allegheny. After an eastern trip Mr. and Mrs. Brown will take possession of their new home in Butler.

Wimodausis Outing Today.

A large attendance is looked for at the outing of the Wimodausis club this afternoon and evening at Kennywood park. Sixteen prizes are offered for the euchre this afternoon. The ladies of the club will serve a dainty supper at the park and the evening will be taken up with dancing, the exclusive use of the large pavilion having been secured.

Engagement Announced.

SHARON, PA., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—An announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Della Gaughan of Mt. Jackson to Mr. Williams of South Main street, to Walter Kitch of Sharpsville. The wedding will take place in October.

Iroquois Dance.

Cards were sent out yesterday for the last summer dance of the Iroquois club on Thursday evening, September 17. The dance will be from 8 until 11:30 o'clock at Kennywood park.

Will Sail Today.

On board the Frederick der Grosse, outbound for Bremen today, are the following Pittsburghers: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weiland, Charles W. Cland, Jr., and Fred W. Cland.

Notes of Society.

Mrs. Carter Curtis Beggs, who arrived from Southampton on the steamer Oceanic, left for the east yesterday, intending to remain several weeks.

R. E. McCarthy, superintendent of the Pittsburgh division of the Pennsylvania lines west, arrived in the city yesterday morning after an absence of several weeks with his wife and family in Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schwartz and their daughters, Miss Anna Schwartz of Cedar avenue, East End, have gone to Brazil, Ind., for a few weeks.

Mrs. James English and son Clyde of Wilkinsburg are visiting in Philadelphia and Washington.

Mrs. Hermann Brown, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. John Eaton of Idlewild street, East End, returned to her home in New York today.

Mrs. C. L. Magee of "The Maples" sails for home today. Mrs. Magee and her cousin, Miss Eleanor Deave Stewart, have been abroad for 5 years.

The Misses Isabella and Estella Oxley of Union avenue, Allegheny, have just returned from a trip to the great lakes. They have gone to their mother, Mrs. D. Oxley, at the family cottage at Mt. Gretchley, and will return to the city about October 1.

Guard at Arsenal Changed.

Orders have been received by Lieut. Drury, commanding the guard of 20 men at the old Allegheny arsenal in Butler street, to go to Ft. Niagara, near Buffalo, on Wednesday or Thursday of next week. It is not known yet who will replace the present guard at the arsenal. The men leaving Pittsburgh belong to the First battalion of the Ninth United States Infantry and were among the troops that saw service in China during the Boxer uprising.

Nominations for Bench.

CUMBERLAND, MD., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—The Republican convention for the Fourth judicial circuit of Maryland nominated Robert R. Henderson of Cumberland and ex-Mayor M. L. Keedy of Hagerstown, candidates to fill the vacancies on the bench caused by the death of Judges D. Sloan and Edward Stake.

EAGLES BANQUET AT THE WALDORF

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PITTSBURGHERS TAKE PART

While the Eagles Eat and Drink and Talk, Fair Partners Lend Encouragement from the Galleries—Fashion Show at Madison Square Garden.

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The Eagles—about 400 of them—roosted in the banquet room of the Waldorf-Astoria tonight while their mates beamed down upon them from the gallery. The hall was gorgeously decorated with flowers and flags.

After a good dinner cigars were lighted and the Eagles settled back in their chairs to listen to addresses. The absence of President Roosevelt, who was expected to make an address, was not allowed to dampen the ardor of the Eagles. Five minute speeches were the rule, and there were many of them. Pittsburghers present were: S. J. Toole, Charles E. Flinn and John S. Flannery, past worthy presidents; P. J. Barry, worthy president; James T. Joyce, worthy chaplain; James F. Tracey, M. J. Connelly and William Robbins. This was what they ate and drank:

Pratties de Laitue, Sandwiches,
Hottres,
Potage a la Jenny Lind,
Radis, Olives, Celeri,
Amandes salees,
Filet de Bass a la Joinville,
Salade de Tomatoes et Concombres,
Cuisses de Rin de Veau en
Chaudpiquant Tyrol,
Roti d'Agneau en Casserole,
Choux Verts au Gratin,
Sirloet aux Pommes,
Pinetree Roth, Salade de Saison,
Glaces de Fantaisie,
Gateaux Assortis,
Fruits, Cafe,
Cigares Cheroots,
Mont J. Chandon "White Seal,"
Liqueurs, White Rock.

Fully 1,500 Eagles, including 300 ladies, attended the fashion show in Madison Square garden tonight. More delegates attended the business sessions of the order at Tammany hall today than on any previous day. One of the allegations made by the westerners is that the order is being used for political purposes in the east and that it must be kept the purely fraternal body that it was intended for if it is to retain its prominence.

The reports of the secretary and treasurer and that of the trustees were read today.

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Husband's Singular Desertion of Wife Led to Divorce Proceedings.

HE WAS A VICTIM OF POLITICS

The commissioner in the divorce suit of Annie Theodora Hixenbaugh against William S. Hixenbaugh filed his report yesterday in common pleas court No. 1. The libellant, in her testimony, says they were married on September 25, 1882, and that her husband deserted her on February 26, 1900. On the night of February 25 she said her husband returned as usual to their home in Castle Shannon from the drug store he conducted in the Seventh Avenue hotel building. He brought her fruit and candy, as was his custom. She had retired when he reached home, but she arose and prepared him a lunch. "Everything was agreeable," she said.

He did not return the next day and on the following Monday her brother called at the drug store and found her husband had "taken the books and cleaned out the cash drawer." She said he left her but $7 and she went to her mother's to live. Subsequently she obtained a position in the transcribing room of the county recorder's office, which she retained until April 1 last.

She said that in January, 1901, she first saw her husband since his departure and asked him why he had left her. He replied: "I do not know, Dode." And she then asked: "Was I to blame in any way?" To which he replied: "You were not."

In the same court testimony of the libellant in the divorce suit of Stephen Senye against Julia Senye states that he married the respondent on November 15, 1898. On November 22, one week later, he says he frustrated an attempt on the part of his wife to elope with another man by having her arrested.

The next day, when she was released from jail, she left him, and, he says, he has since learned she is living as the wife of George Bey in Brownsville.

The following libels in divorce were filed: Josephine Gray against William M. Gray, alleging desertion; Rosa Gardner against Thomas J. Gardner, alleging desertion; Ralph Welch against Bella Welch, alleging infidelity.

Frederick Ehlen entered two suits on behalf of himself and wife, Mary, and his son, William, against the Pittsburgh Railways Company, in which damages aggregating $50,000 are asked. The statement alleges that on February 21, 1900, a car left the defendant company's line and crashed into the house of the plaintiffs, at the corner of Forbes and Seneca streets, where the wife and son were living. The wife, it is alleged, had a collar bone broken and also the hip and received bruises and internal derangement that will affect her permanently.

LEGAL BRIEFS.

Emma C. Davis has sued the city of Pittsburgh for $10,000 damages, alleged to have been sustained by a fall in Mulberry alley, between Twenty-ninth and Thirtieth streets, on February 14, 1903, due to a defective pavement.

The following executions were issued yesterday: Charles A. Turner vs. Redding Engineering Company, $3,000; Phillip Steininger vs. Henry Schnorr, $315; same vs. same et al., $73; J. T. Gibson, executor, vs. Edwin G. Orr, $1,248 85; Mrs. D. Behring vs. John A. Pietsch, $1,097 32.

The South Side Trust Company was appointed guardian of William Kelly, the minor child of Theresa Kelly, by an order made in the orphans court. The minor children of Bridget McVay, Mary, Annie, Thomas, William and Nellie, were also placed under the guardianship of the same company.

MARRIED AT CHICAGO.

Pittsburghers Attend Wedding of Miss Bessie King Dalzell to Louis W. Jared.

CHICAGO, Sept. 3.—(Special.)—Miss Bessie King Dalzell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Martin Dalzell, was married this evening to Louis Willard Jared of Cleveland. The Rev. A. A. Mealy of Pittsburgh, uncle of the bride, performed the ceremony and about 75 relatives and intimate friends were present. A sister of the bride, Miss Ada May Dalzell, and Miss Katherine Smith of Pittsburgh acted as bridesmaids. Walter N. Stock was best man and Roy Jarrett of Rochester and Homer Bishop of Milwaukee were the ushers. George Webb played the wedding march and a string orchestra furnished the music for the reception.

Mr. and Mrs. Jared left tonight after the reception for their future home in Cleveland, where they will be at home after October 1. Mrs. E. C. Dalzell, grandmother of the bride, and Mrs. James Kilduff, both of Pittsburgh, were present.

CHEMICAL WORKS WRECKED AND FIVE MEN INJURED

NEWARK, N. J., Sept. 3.—A large boiler in the engine house of the chemical establishment of the Hansen Van Kinkle Company, exploded this afternoon, completely demolishing that building. Five men were injured by the shock of the explosion or by being buried beneath great masses of debris. The injured are: William Wickliehouse, Joseph Winters, Charles Connelly, Howard Oliver, Albert Dixon.

MAYOR LOW WILL NOT BE FUSION CANDIDATE

NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—(Special.)—Mayor Low, who has practically been the anti-Tammany candidate for mayor since the meeting of the fusion conference last Tuesday night, probably will accede to the wishes of his friends and withdraw from the mayoralty race. This action was foreshadowed by the mayor's friend, City Chamberlain Gould, in an interview today and his view was confirmed by Senator Platt last night.

Electrician Shocked to Death.

HARRISBURG, Sept. 3.—Edward Raube of Newark, N. J., an employe of a wire insulating firm of Bayonne, N. J., which is building the Paxtang electric system in this city, was shocked to death in a manhole today.

CHEAP TRIPS.

Chances to Travel at Reduced Fares.

Reduced fares will be in effect via Pennsylvania lines as follows:

From all ticket stations, September 7th, account Labor day, to all stations within 50 miles of selling point.

To Cincinnati, September 6th and 7th, account Cincinnati Fall Festival.

To Chattanooga, September 17th, for Wilder's brigade reunion.

To Denver, October 3d and 4th, for meeting of Brotherhood of St. Andrew.

To San Francisco, October 7th to 17th, account American Bankers' association.

To Dayton, October 11th and 12th, account Union Veteran Legion meeting.

To Detroit, October 16th, 16th, 17th and 19th, account national convention of Christian churches.

Particulars about fares, etc., may be ascertained by consulting District Passenger Agent J. R. Dillon, room 366 Park building, Pittsburgh.

The Most Delightful Season of the Year at the Seashore Will Be on and After September the Tenth.

Pennsylvania railroad will run their last seashore excursion for season of 1903 on above date. Ten dollars round trip, good in coaches only; or twelve dollars round trip, good in parlor or sleeping cars when accompanied by the usual Pullman tickets. Train leaves Union station at 8:55 a. m. Tickets good 10 days.

Ten dollars to Cape May, Atlantic City, etc., in coaches; or twelve dollars in parlor or sleeping cars, via Pennsylvania railroad, September TENTH. Remember this is the last for 1903.

"A Chat With an Educated Horse," by John Kendrick Bangs, in The Sunday Gazette.

THE THREE RIVERS

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CINCINNATI, Sept. 3.—The stage of the river at 6 p. m. marked 11 4 feet and rising, making a rise of 3.9 feet during the past 24 hours. The flagship of both coal fleets arrived at daylight. The first boat to pass was the Boaz of the Pittsburgh fleet. She was followed by the Tom Rees No. 2, Coal City, Crescent City, Jim Wood, James Moren, Dave Wood, Mariner, Iron Age, Pacific, Joseph Walton, Ironsides, Hornet No. 2. The Kanawha fleet followed closely. The first of that fleet was the J. B. Lewis, Val P. Collins, Mountain State, Otto Marmet, Florence Marmet, E. B. Andrews and Robert J. Gilham. The Sea Lion arrived later in the afternoon. All of the boats except the Crescent left their tows here and will rush back with empties. Capt. William Agnew, pilot of the Courier, is at the Marine hospital suffering with a stroke of paralysis. The doctors pronounce his condition as serious. The Sprague raised steam today and with a full crew went to Louisville light, where she will be engaged in towing empties from New Orleans to Louisville.

LOUISVILLE—River rising; 3 feet 7 inches in canal; 1 foot 6 inches on the falls; 5 feet 4 inches below the locks.

WHEELING—River 9 feet 8 inches and falling fast.

GALLIPOLIS—River 12 feet 10 inches and rising.

OIL CITY—River 2 feet 8 inches and falling.

STEUBENVILLE—River 9 feet 1 inch and falling.

POINT PLEASANT—River 10 feet 5 inches and rising.

PARKERSBURG—River 10.6 feet and falling.

WARREN—River 2 feet 8 inches.

GREENSBORO—River 6 feet 4 inches and stationary.

MORGANTOWN—River 7 feet and stationary.

MARIETTA—River 10 feet and falling.

HUNTINGTON—River 13 feet 6 inches and rising.

WICKETS WILL GO UP TODAY.

Coal Fleet Arrived at Cincinnati Yesterday After Short Delay.

The wickets of the Davis Island dam will be put up today. Workmen were busy yesterday making some repairs. The water in the three rivers continues to fall. The coal fleet reached Cincinnati yesterday after being held up at Richmond to await the rise which the steamers had got ahead of.

The Monongahela River Consolidated Coal and Coke Company did not send any of its steamers below Cincinnati, as it was thought the water was not high enough to permit the boats to have a safe trip. The C. Dutte Coal Company reported that the Crescent passed Cincinnati yesterday on her way to Louisville with 17 pieces.

Guaranteed by The Gorham Co.
GORHAM SILVER POLISH
Produces a satin-like polish
Contains no deleterious ingredient
All responsible jewelers keep it
25 cents a package

ARRIVALS.

Columbia, Dehaine, Morgantown, Edgar Cherry, Abrams, Brownsville.

DEPARTURES.

J. C. Woodward, Williams, Morgantown, Edgar Cherry, Abrams, Brownsville.

The stage of water at Davis Island dam at 8 o'clock last night was 6.4 feet and the river was falling.

The Little Fred grounded two barges at Bakis's yard below East Liverpool yesterday.

The Charley Turner left yesterday with 22 new coal barges for the Marmet Coal Company on the Kanawha river.

A heavy fog hung over the local rivers yesterday, and it was 10 o'clock before the boats could run in safety. The Monongahela river packets were late in getting into the harbor.

The Tom Dodsworth and the Jim Wood turned back down the river yesterday with tows of coal. The pool boats turned over their pilots at Bellaire and returned with empties.

F. H. McKinley, of the transportation department of the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal and Coke Company returned yesterday from Wheeling and other river points, where he had been superintending the movements of the coal fleet.

Capt. O. W. Howder of the Tom Dodsworth was married Sunday night at Middleport, O. He received orders to leave Middleport at 10 o'clock Sunday night, and, not wishing to delay the ceremony, which had been set for another time, he was married one hour before the boat started.

Capt. Jim Hayes of the steamer Tom Lysle will be master of the new government snagboat Gen. Theodore Schwann, which is nearing completion at Jeffries shop in Duquesne way. He has resigned from his old boat to and will assume his new duties the first of next week. Billy Campbell, formerly engineer on the steamer Pilot, will be the engineer on the Schwann. He is already working on the construction of her boilers at the shops. These positions were gained by these men by standing highest in competitive examinations.

Goodyears of Buffalo to Build Railroad Into Armstrong County

By the incorporation of the DuBois Southwestern Railroad Company the Goodyear interests of Buffalo propose to build a railroad which comes close to Pittsburgh. The company was yesterday granted a charter by the state department, its purpose being stated to build a steam railroad 50 miles long and extending from Sykesville, Jefferson county, to South Bend, Armstrong county.

The capital stock of the new line is $500,000. Its route will be through Jefferson, Indiana and Armstrong counties. Its president is Marlin E. Olmstead and the directors are Frank H. Goodyear, Charles W. Goodyear and A. C. Goodyear, Buffalo; Harry C. Houtz, James W. Millhouse, William M. Fickes, Jr., W. M. Oglesby and A. C. Stamm, Harrisburg.

This line is an extension of the Buffalo & Susquehanna railroad, the general offices of which are at Buffalo.

The present line of that road extends from Keating Summit 45 miles to Galeton. At Galeton one branch runs to Addison, 46 miles; one to Wellsville, 37 miles, and one to Ansonia, 13 miles. From Cross Fork Junction, 33 miles from Keating Summit, a branch runs to the town of Cross Fork, 13 miles.

From Wharton, 17 miles from Keating Summit, extends the Sinnemahoning branch to the town of Sinnemahoning, and there is now under construction a 55-mile branch from Sinnemahoning to Sykesville. It is with this new Sinnemahoning-Sykesville branch that the line incorporated yesterday is to connect.

How far south it is the wish of the Goodyears to bring their road is unknown here at present. When the branch incorporated is completed it will be within about 22 miles of Kittanning, which is 45 miles up the Allegheny river from Pittsburgh.

The road has grown in importance steadily in the last few years. It has originated a considerable lumber traffic and, connecting with the Erie, Pennsylvania and the New York Central railroads, as well as some smaller lines, has been able to make money. The chairman of the board is F. H. Goodyear and the president M. E. Olmstead, who will have the same positions on the new branch.

Zanesville Councils Hold Up Wabash.

The example set by Pittsburgh councils has been emulated several times in the dealings oof the councils of smaller towns with the Wabash railroad on its extension east. Zanesville now has the citizens who are afraid of hurting their city by granting the Wabash interests the needful franchises. Zanesville has had a lesson before in this regard and the town has not profited by its treatment of railroads. Its next deliberation seems little wiser than those who hurt the town's prospects in the earlier days. The Wabash wishes through the Wheeling & Lake Erie, its subsidiary line, to extend the Zanesville Belt & Terminal Company, a local belt line, to the points at which traffic can be reached. Filled with the belief that the town of Zanesville can do better without the Wabash than the Wabash than the railroad can without the good will of Zanesville, the councils have blocked the plans to date. Just how much influence of other lines adverse to the Wabash is shown in this is a matter yet to be investigated.

New Coal Road Chartered.

A charter was granted yesterday for the "Washington & State Line railroad," to extend from Tylerdale, near Washington, Pa., to Dunsfort, on the border between West Virginia and Pennsylvania. The length of the road is 15 miles. Its purpose is to connect with a West Virginia railroad running from Dunsfort and extending back to Wellsburg and owned by the same interests. At Tylerdale the new line will connect with the Wabash, Panhandle and Baltimore & Ohio. The president of the company is James Scott of Braddock. The directors are T. M. Scott, Braddock; W. G. Wilkins and Charles Kingsbury, Allegheny; R. C. McLean, Oakmont; W. M. Judd, Wilkinsburg; E. E. Hamilton, Castle Shannon; Thomas P. Flinn, Aveilla, and C. J. Cook, Pittsburgh. Mr. Wilkins is the engineer of the line. Mr. McLean is interested in coal operations, which the proposed road will develop.

Pennsy Has New Coal Wharf Design

A new kind of coal wharf, made after designs from the office of T. W. Demarest superintendent of motive power of the Panhandle, is to be erected at Richmond, Ind. In the new design, instead of handling the coal from the hoppers by a series of buckets on a link belt, two buckets of large capacity are used to elevate the coal to the storage room. The buckets are hoisted by electricity and tripped automatically as they reach the right position. It is claimed that the wharf is more economically operated than by the older designs.

Vandalia's Embargo Is Raised.

The full embargo of the Vandalia against freight from the Pennsylvania has been lifted, according to a notice received by the Pennsylvania here, and freight is again moving into East St. Louis back to normal. The embargo has been lifted once or twice before for a short time, but it is hoped now, however, that there will be no need for its resumption.

Railroad Notes.

Secretary of War Root has extended the time for the St. Louis Merchants' Bridge Company to show reason why the bridge should not be forfeited to the general government.

Official announcement was made in McKeesport yesterday that the Pennsylvania Railroad Company had secured a site for a freight station to replace the one vacated for the National Tube Company in the Bowery district. The new depot will be erected at Fourth avenue and Huey street.

Within the next few days the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad will petition McKeesport councils for the privilege of laying two extra tracks along Fourth avenue, most of which is now occupied by the company's right-of-way. The Pennsylvania railroad and the Baltimore & Ohio will oppose the petition.

MESSAGES EXCHANGED.

Methodist Protestant Conference Receives Delegates from U. B. Church.

KITTANNING, PA., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—At the Methodist Protestant conference this morning the Rev. Drs. Stahl and Sherrick, fraternal messengers from the United Brethren denomination, were, by unanimous motion, invited to honorary seats in the conference and each made an address, expressing hope of the union of the two denominations. These addresses were responded to by the Rev. F. N. Foster, on behalf of the conference.

The president was instructed to appoint two fraternal messengers, whose duty it shall be to represent the conference at the Allegheny conference of the United Brethren church, in Pittsburgh, on September 23. The invitation of Waynesburg to hold the next annual conference at that place was accepted. The name of the Rev. A. T. Steele was ordered to be replaced upon the conference roll.

Dr. Shaffer made a report on the visit of the fraternal messengers sent to the Allegheny conference of the United Brethren church, at McKeesport last September. At the afternoon session the Rev. M. Kiepler of the Oakmont Methodist Episcopal church the Rev. Mr. Jones of Carnegie, and the Rev. Mr. Rodkey of Kittanning, were invited to honorary seats in the conference. There are 110 ministers present.

Woman Burned to Death.

MASPETH, L. I., Sept. 3.—One woman was killed, two persons probably fatally injured and two others seriously hurt by an explosion in a building used in the manufacture of fireworks here today. The building was badly shattered and the ruins caught fire. The dead woman was Mary Mantanino, wife of the proprietor of the fireworks factory.

Notes of the Labor World.

Allegheny local No. 211, Brotherhood of Carpenters, will spend Labor day at Conneaut lake. This union is the largest carpenters local in this district.

The sheet metal workers will spend Labor day on the river. They will leave Market street at 8:30 a. m. on the steamer Annie Roberts. L. L. Pritchard is chairman of the committee of arrangements.

Local No. 6, Elevator Constructors, have planned an outing on the evening of Labor day. The members and friends will take charge of the steamer Beauty. The committee consists of N. P. Caldwell, chairman; J. D. Kidney, S. Hayhurst, J. F. Jones and William Helm.

Ulrich Bellingham, vice president of the United Mine Workers and marshal of the fourth division of the Labor day parade, yesterday announced his aides. They are: Adjutant general, William Dodds, chief of staff; Patrick Dolan; standard bearer, John Wilkes; flag bearer, Thomas Hunter, aides, William Little, Frank McKenna, Matthew Kerrigan, Thomas Brown, John W. Fisher, Henry O'Neill, Albert Reno, Steven Pezarcosti, Jacob Padlick, Victor Lurzi, Patrick Smith and William Smith.

WANTED.

Always be sure to mention that you saw this adv. in the Gazette.

Male Help.

BOXMAKERS—Two good boxmakers, one good cutter and one good machine nailer. Apply Ernest Biel, United States Macaroni factory, Carnegie, Pa.

BUSSES, porters, waiters, cooks. 627 West Robinson st., Allegheny.

CARPENTERS wanted to rebuild six four-room houses. Inquire F. P. Lynch, 3642 Second ave., Glenwood.

CARPENTERS—Three months' work. Ransome & Smith Co., Greensburg, Pa.

ENGINEER—To run electric plant gas engine; thoroughly competent; state experience and references; good pay. Address G 87, The Gazette.

GLASS bevelers and scratch polishers; good pay and steady work. Williamsport Mirror and Glass Co., Williamsport, Pa.

GROCERY CLERK AT ONCE; EXPERIENCED GROCERY CLERK; GOOD, STEADY POSITION.
EMPIRE BUREAU,
426—FOURTH AVE.—426.

SALESMEN—Wanted, two high-class salesmen of good address to travel Western Pennsylvania and Eastern Ohio; salary and commission; railroad fare paid. Address W 81, The Gazette.

SALESMEN—Wanted, experienced shoe salesmen; reference required; high wages, steady position. Harry Friedberg, Braddock, Pa.

SAWYER wanted to work on box stuff; steady work. Apply Standard Works, Preble ave., Allegheny.

SOLICITOR—Advertising solicitor for Our Boys Special Exposition number. Dallaymer Block.

MACHINISTS—25 competent machinists of all classes to operate planers, lathes, boring mills, milling machines, as well as fitters and erecting men, all on steam engine work of high grade.

We operate an "Open Shop." We do not discriminate against union labor, nor do we permit the non-union mechanic to be coerced. Good places for the independent man of ability. We have the best shops in this country—best tools, best class of workmanship, most steady employment. We pay hourly wage rates as high as any other shops in this district, which is probably the highest paid district in the United States. Our hourly wage rate varies from 37½ cents per hour down to 21½ cents per hour, to be individually adjusted according to each man's ability. For certain classes of machine tools we pay even higher hourly rates.

In addition we do much of our machine work at piece rates, which enables an active man to earn very large wages. During May and June just passed, 20 of our machinists averaged to earn $115.00 per month per man.

Apply in person at the works of the Westinghouse Machine Company, East Pittsburgh, Pa.

WANTED.

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Male Help.

MANAGER—Active office manager; $20 weekly; references and security required; work under instructions; experience not necessary; office work only. D. J. Cotter, 320 Sixth st., room 2.

MEN—Any person willing to distribute circulars for $2.50 daily. Tremple, 1020 Grand Bldg., Chicago.

PRINTERS—Two, at once. Apply Daily News, Braddock.

WANTED—For the U. S. Marine Corps—Able-bodied, unmarried men, between 21 and 35, good character, must speak, read and write English; medical service at our expense; 3 years in all parts of the world, on land in our island possessions, and at naval stations in the United States. Apply Recruiting Officer, rooms 414-416 Penn building.

WANTED—First-class, experienced draughtsman on boiling, furnaces and general line of steel plate construction; technical graduate preferred. Address "Steam Boiler," V 81, The Gazette.

WANTED AT ONCE, MAN TO DRESS POULTRY AND ASSIST IN STORE.
EMPIRE BUREAU,
426—FOURTH AVE.—426.

WANTED—A salesman of good address and education, capable of fitting himself for field manager position. Address, with reference, Wholesale B 85, The Gazette.

WANTED—A pantaloon maker. Curtis C. Warfel, 925 Wood st., Wilkinsburg.

WANTED—Single white man, experienced in care of horses. 807 Liberty st.

WASHMAN—First-class washman; none but sober, industrious need apply. Union Laundry, Millvale.

YOUNG MAN with some knowledge of chemistry for steel works; high school or college graduate preferred. Address Chemist, care of The Gazette.

WANTED—THREE HUSTLING, ENERGETIC SOLICITORS, AT ONCE. APPLY ROOM 412, CHRONICLE TELEGRAPH BUILDING.

YOUNG MEN—Five bright young men at once, between the ages of 17 and 25. Apply The Gazette classified advertising department.

YOUNG MAN—A young man 18 or 19 years old as bill clerk; must be quick and accurate. Apply at 10 o'clock. 945 Liberty ave.

YOUNG MEN to learn telegraphy; day or evening. Pennsylvania Telegraph College, Lewis Block.

Female Help.

COOK—Apply at 814 Diamond st., Pittsburgh.

GIRL—Good German girl for chambermaid; must be neat and a good laundress; highest wages paid. Apply ninth house above Fifth ave. on Shady ave., right hand side.

GIRL—Girl for general housework; no washing; two in family; no children. Call 130 Stratford avenue, for further particulars.

GIRL for general housekeeping. Apply at 400 California ave., near Superior st., Allegheny, steady employment given.

GIRL wanted for upstairs work and assist laundress, near Sewickley. Apply 307 Library ave.

GIRLS—3 dining room girls at 1129 Liberty ave.

LAUNDRESS—Good laundress for Monday and Tuesdays; white person preferred. Apply 4th house above Fifth ave. on Shady ave., right hand side.

SALESLADIES—Wanted, three experienced house furnishing goods saleslaides; high salaries to experienced. Apply at supt.'s office, Kaufmann's.

WAIST and skirtmakers wanted at Packard's, 408 Penn ave., corner Fourth st.

WANTED—A lady over 21, of good education and address for an educational work; an unemployed teacher preferred; good salary. Address, with reference, Education A 83, The Gazette.

WOMAN—A young woman who can act as a substitute telephone exchange operator, but must have some knowledge of stenography and typewriting. Address, stating experience, references and salary expected, B 81, The Gazette.

WOMEN—Young women to learn telegraphy; day or evening. Pennsylvania Telegraph College, Lewis Block.

YOUNG WOMEN—Two, for a small family; no washing; good wages. Call 1 to 3 p. m. MRS. KENNINGTON, 18 Ninth st., Pittsburgh.

Male and Female Help.

WANTED—The women of Pittsburgh to know that D. M. Co., the largest employment agency in the state, 529 Penn ave., has a large number of southern girls just arrived the last week past seeking situations. I will positively be in near future for benefit of East End people. Main office, Pittsburgh, never closed. Phones 590, ring 3, Grant; P. & A., 3242 Main.

BOYS AND GIRLS to work for us in own town. For particulars write O 85, The Gazette.

Situation-Female.

POSITION by young woman, 19 years of age, as bookkeeper, understands stenography and general office work; am not afraid of work; wages desired $15 a week. Write C. M. F., 1450 Fifth ave.

POSITION by Protestant young woman as working housekeeper in small family; first-class references. 18 Ninth st.

Situations—Male and Female.

MALE and female help supplied. Walker, 941 Smithfield st. 'Phone 350.

Pupils.

MODERN BUSINESS and shorthand education for actual practice. Expert bookkeeping, banking, voucher system, joint stock company, corporation accounting, Gregg's Modern Shorthand, penmanship, arithmetic, grammar, spelling, commercial law, etc. Call or write for free catalogue. The Actual Business College, No. 340 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh—twenty-fourth year. Day and night school for young and middle-aged men and women. Begin any time. Positions for students.

Real Estate.

FARM WANTED—I want to buy a farm; must be well located; near R. R. and not too far from good town; give price and full particulars. L. D. DULL, 7443 Monticello st., Pittsburgh.

House.

WANT to rent house in Wilkinsburg or East End, with from 7 to 9 rooms, in good location. Address G 85, The Gazette.

Rooms.

WANTED—By three young men, three medium sized furnished rooms or two large ones, within 5 to 10 minutes' walk from Wilkinsburg station. Address L 87, The Gazette.

WANTED—Rooms for light housekeeping. Allegheny preferred; no children. Write H 87, The Gazette.

Business Properties.

WANTED—Space at Exposition to demonstrate an oil burner. H. R., 715 Wood st., Wilkinsburg.

Financial.

WANTED—To borrow $1,000, secured by first mortgage; value $2,000. Address X 81, The Gazette.

Miscellaneous.

H. C. KNAPP, commercial job printer, 3331 Butler st. Both telephones.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS.

East End.

411 S. HIGHLAND AVE., E. E.—Large alcove front and rear room, nicely furnished; all conveniences.

FOR RENT.

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City and Suburban Residences.

FOR RENT.

I have four new 5 and 6 room houses with front porch, city water, gas and cabinet mantels, just 18 minutes' car ride from the center of the city for rent at $18 and $20 per month; immediate possession.

H. E. JOHNS,
423 Fourth ave.,
With Mortgage Banking Co.

FOR RENT—$55 per month, 2858 Wylie ave., brick house of eight rooms, hall, bath, range, laundry and both gases. See Commonwealth Real Estate and Trust Co., 327-329 Fourth ave.

FOR RENT—Small Pittsburgh dwellings: 116 24th st., 2 rooms, $7.50 per month; 4618 Second ave., 3 rooms, $11 per month; 3309 Yesper st., 3 rooms, $10.50 per month.
See Commonwealth Real Estate & Trust Co., 327-329 Fourth ave.

East End Residences.

Lake st., near Lincoln ave.
Frame house, hall, 9 rooms, modern improvements. Large lot, $40.

S. H. LLOYD,
No. 6022 Penn ave., E. E.,
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SEND card for list of East End houses and apartments, and map, free.
S. H. LLOYD,
No. 6022 Penn ave., E. E.
Pittsburgh, Pa.

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ARBUTT BLDG.—2 very desirable front offices, communicating doors, may be leased singly or en suite; sizes 15x18½, 13½x23 and 13½x15½; rent extremely low; present tenant moving to another city; immediate possession. Apply 703 Arbutt bldg.

OFFICES FOR RENT—Fifth ave., corner Market st., two front rooms, second floor.
J. GALLAGHER,
204 Fifth ave.

Desk Room.

FOR RENT—Desk and telephone service; $3 a month. Office Renting Company, 711 Penn ave.

FOR SALE.

City and Suburban Residences.

STOP PAYING RENT—We have for sale within 10 minutes' car ride of the Wabash center of Pittsburgh, houses of five rooms, six rooms and seven rooms on a fine well-located corner; we will sell the above for $2,000 on small cash payment down and balance as rent. Best buyers interested in this proposition would do well to call or write for particulars.
MONEY TO LOAN.
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FOR SALE—SWISSVALE BOROUGH—New 8-room buff brick house, with reception hall, cellar, bath, chandeliers, vestibule, mantels, in fact. Dandy property at a neat, up-to-date home, and will be sold to a quick buyer for $2,400; $400 cash, balance to suit.
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223 Eighth ave.,
Homestead, Pa.

FOR SALE.
AVALON.
New frame house, 8 rooms each; lot 35 feet front; price $4,200.
Easy terms.
A. D. WILSON,
221 Federal st., Allegheny.

ONLY $6,000.00 REQUIRED.
FOR SALE—Two large brick dwellings, 11 rooms each, two bathrooms; all conveniences. East End location. Address A 85, The Gazette.

AVALON—New dwelling, 8 rooms, all conveniences. J. C. Reed, 211 Wood st., Pittsburgh.

East End Residences.

OUR Hermitage street house rents for $18 in Homer.
Our price is $4,750.
Our terms are $700 or more cash and $40 per month.
Take Frankstown avenue cars to Sterrett street.

INVESTMENT!
Two-story brick building; storeroom and six living rooms and bath; situated on good business street in E. E. Lot 25x124 to an alley. This is an elegant proposition and will stand investigation. Price $4,250. Dose.
MARTHA, BROWN & HERBST,
Room 2, Schmidt Bldg., 339 Fifth ave.

FOR SALE—
EVA ST., NEAR EUCLID AVE., EAST END.
5 brick and frame houses, on lot 100x100, rolling for $1,300 per annum.
Price $20,000. Terms to suit.
E. ARNOLD & CO.,
704 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE—New 6-room house, with bath, cabinet mantels, in children's school; all conveniences; 20 minutes' ride from Wilkinsburg, Pa. Price, $2,200; $100 down, $15 per month.
J. WILLIAM BARNES,
223 Eighth ave.,
Homestead, Pa.

Price $6,500.
$1,750 cash, balance as 5 per cent.
10-room brick house, all modern improvements; lot 32x99; cost present owner $8,000; bargain.
C. C. HAMILTON,
Room 20, 84 Fifth ave.
Bell 135 Court. Phones P. & A. 2301 Main.

EAST END RESIDENCE.
For Sale—A very fine 12-room brick residence in the most desirable, most aristocratic section of Shadyside; lot 80x175.
JAMES W. GUMBERT,
1206 Arrott Building.

Business Property.

Seventh ave., Pittsburgh, corner lot, 20x90 feet to alley, with 2-story brick building; property selling only a few feet away for $3,000 per foot; will sacrifice if sold before September 15 for $1,670 per foot.
W. L. SCOTT & CO.,
100 Federal st.,
Allegheny.

Farms.

FOR SALE.
FARMS.
53 acres in Beaver county, one mile from railroad, house 6 rooms, barn, etc.
Price, $3,000.
1175 acres in Findley township, well improved. Price $50 per acre.
A. D. WILSON,
221 Federal st., Allegheny.

FOR SALE—Farm of 85 acres three miles from Logans Ferry and 11 miles from East End; 2-story frame house, 8 rooms, bath and all necessary buildings; plenty of fruit; six acres of Pittsburgh soil of coal; with mine opened; price $4,500. Inquire of J. A. Fair, Logans Ferry, Pa.

FARM.
30 acres, near Jeannette; good land; 8-room house, barn, etc.; good market; underlaid with coal; schoolhouse on farm; price $3,000.
ZAHNISER & CO.,
426 Fourth ave.

FARMS! DO YOU WANT A FARM?—FARMS! We can please you. Call or write for list. Farms everywhere for sale or exchange.
ROYAL REALTY CO., 905 Times Bldg.

FARMS—Do you want a farm? Farms! We can please you. Call or write for list. Farms everywhere for sale or exchange.
ROYAL REALTY CO., 905 Times Bldg.

Lands and Acreage.

FOR SALE—250 ACRES of rich coal at Raymond, West Virginia, located on RAILROAD. For price, terms and particulars, ADDRESS H 2, The Gazette.

FOR SALE—Gilt edge investment in acreage at Pennsylvania railroad yards, Conway. Address Box 305, Rochester, Pa.

Lots.

LOTS CHEAP.
Within one square of Lincoln avenue, Bellevue, lots 50x150, street improvements all made and paid for; price only $30 per front foot.
BELLEVUE REALTY, SAVINGS & TRUST CO.,
440 Lincoln ave., Bellevue.

FOR SALE.
CHOICE FIFTY-FOOT LOT IN HAYS UNIVERSITY PLAN.
Tenth ward, Allegheny City, at head of McIntyre place; graded and in fine shape; will sell almost at half value; must have money; act quickly. Address P 4, The Gazette.

STORE STREET.
Frontage 35 feet, corner property, extending through to Fifth ave.
GIBSON, 401 Grant st.

Real Estate—Special.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL COUNTRY PLACE at Baden, Beaver county, Pa., 10 acres of land, good frame dwelling house, barn and outbuildings. GEO. D. BIDDLE, Attorney-at-Law, 410 Grant st., Pittsburgh.

Business Opportunities.

Gents' Furnishing
Store; good location, Wilkinsburg, sell at a sacrifice to quick buyer; invoice $3,500.

Pool Room.
Elegant location, Homewood; receipts for last year $187 a month; expense $40 monthly; price $850.

ZAHNISER & CO.,
426 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE—Book, stationery and sporting goods store, located in a town of 30,000 population, within 15 miles of Pittsburgh; doing a business of $20,000 per year; owner will sell on account of sickness; will sell as a whole or at invoice; the lease alone is worth $2,000.

W. L. SWEETS,
Water building,
McKeesport, Pa.

FOR SALE—HAYNES STORE—Also carrying a stock of shoes, trunks, gloves, etc.; will invoice $2,500; will take part trade.
I HAVE SEVERAL GROCERY stores ranging in price from $450 to $2,500.
IF YOU want to sell your property or your business for good results, see
J. J. LEVY,
411-412 Fulton Bldg., 120 Fourth ave.

CONFECTIONERY—Good Allegheny location; 6 living rooms; rent only $25; good fixtures; price $250. We have good list of confectioneries in both cities; will be pleased to send our list.
HEWITT & M'CORD, 51, 439 Fifth ave.

BAKERY AND CONFECTIONERY—In nearby town; baking 3 barrels per day; large cake and trade; 6 living rooms; lot 50x150; fine location; great bargain if sold this week; price $1,000; terms half cash, balance to suit purchaser. CAVANAGH CO., 421 Fourth ave.

NEWS STAND and Telegraph Office—In good town, doing $150 per month above all expenses; price $1250. CAVANAGH CO., 421 Fourth ave.

PIONEERS of all kinds bought and sold; partners secured for established business, etc., all transactions strictly confidential.
KIRK & WENGEL, 1306 Arcott Building.

BUSINESS CHANCES—Before buying, call or write us.
ESTEP & CO., 326 Fourth ave.

IF YOU WANT to buy or sell any kind of business, see CAVANAGH & CO., 421 Fourth ave.

Investments.

INVESTORS take notice—We have a 7 years' lease on "Young's Pier," a legitimate, honorable investment; no over-capitalization, no fraud, but a conservatively managed business proposition; one to which we invite the closest investigation. Address Chas. G. Middleton, president, the Atlantic Amusement & Construction Co., Young's Pier, Atlantic City, N. J.

Machinery.

FOR SALE—Boilers and outlines, all sizes, from 3 to 125 H. P.; stationary and portable upright boilers and engines; large assortment kept in stock; also pipe, valves and fittings, and large lot of miscellaneous machinery; second-hand belting, leather and rubber; large stock of all sizes at low prices; machinery of all kinds bought and sold.
JOHN S. YOUNG,
108-110 Park way, Allegheny, Pa.

FOR SALE—20 H. P. steam engine, 150 gal. tanks, cutter and grinder. Address X 87, The Gazette.

GAS ENGINES and machinery. ERIGGS MACHINERY CO., Fourth and Liberty ave.

FOR SALE.

Houses and Vehicles.

CARRIAGES.
HARNESS.
Carriage repairing, 2011-19 Penn ave.
ORDER CARRIAGE CO.
19-21 Fifth ave. and 2011-19 Penn ave.

SECOND-HAND VEHICLES.
Carriages, surreys, phaetons, runabouts, delivery wagons; also traps, buggies. Furniture and open and top wagons.
ORDER CARRIAGE CO.
19-21 Fifth ave. and 2011-19 Penn ave.

FOR SALE—One handsome two-seated brougham, 15 hands 2 in. high; thoroughly good horse; chestnut in color; also two-seated saddle horses suitable for lady to ride. J. P. Davidson, 2020 Main st., Allegheny.

Sewing Machines.

BIG BARGAINS in second-hand and shop-worn sewing machines; a high arm singer, perfect condition, for $15; drop head, $25. A White for $15, guaranteed; 50 other makes and sewing machines will be sold at a big reduction in the next few days.
WHITE SEWING MACHINE CO.,
132 Sixth st.

BIG BARGAINS in new, shop-worn and second-hand sewing machines; all makes; we repair all makes at the lowest prices.
CARTER SEWING MACHINE CO.,
121 Sixth st., next to Hiller.

Typewriters.

REMINGTON Typewriter sold (with or without) Billing and Tabulating Attachments; exchanged, rented, repaired. Duplicating typewriter ribbons for all machines. Typewriter supplies and Furniture.
REMINGTON TYPEWRITER CO.,
301 Wood st.
Telephone 1240 Court, 62

BANK RATE ADVANCED AND STOCKS DECLINED

Foreign Stock Markets Depressed, and Wall Street Relapsed Into Dullness—Local Stocks Rallied and Closed Firm.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

Financial circles was treated to a surprise yesterday by the action of the governors of the Bank of England in raising the minimum rate of discount from 3 to 4 per cent. The change was entirely unexpected. The rate has stood at 3 per cent since the 18th of June. Last year the change was not made until October 9, when the rate was raised to 4 per cent and remained at that figure until last May. The object of the present advance was to shift the drain of gold from the bank to the other sources of supply. Yesterday the Bank of England sold $4,125,000 gold, the bulk of it being exported to Germany, where a drain has been in progress in connection with a new railroad loan. This week's statement of the Imperial Bank of Germany showed a decrease of nearly $5,500,000 in cash and an increase of $11,320,000 in loans. A similar degree of activity in foreign banking circles was reflected in the weekly statement of the Bank of France, which yesterday reported an increase in bills discounted of $16,055,000, and an increase in notes in circulation of $22,000,000.

The effect of the advance in the English bank rate was to depress all foreign markets. Consols closed at 89 13-16, or below the lowest point touched during the closing period of the Boer war. Fortigners were sellers of American securities, causing lower prices in Wall street at the opening. The activity and strength in Atchison, which was the principal feature of the day before, disappeared, the stock declining to 64⅝ and closing at the lowest. St. Paul opened ¼ per cent lower at 142½, recovered to 142⅞, and then lost a point. Later in the day the directors declared the regular semi-annual dividends of 3½ per cent each on the common and preferred stocks, and the market rallied slightly. Union Pacific sold off to 75 and Missouri Pacific to 93¼. Rock Island declined 1⅝ per cent to 28. In fact all the granger stocks were heavy, despite the fact that grain markets sold off and closed at the lowest of the day.

Louisville & Nashville, Southern Railway and the Southwestern group of stocks, which under ordinary circumstances would have rallied on the government cotton report, and the sharp break in cotton remained exceedingly dull, financial considerations temporarily overcoming improvement in trade conditions. Pennsylvania and Baltimore & Ohio each sold off fractionally and closed near the lowest. Reading and the other coal stocks were rather heavy, being affected by reports that the real condition of the trade was not so rosy as represented.

The weakness in the Metropolitan Street Railway issues were not without its effect in contributing to the change of sentiment. Metropolitan Securities broke rather violently from 76½ at the opening to 70⅝, but later recovered a large part of the loss. Metropolitan Street Railway broke from 113⅝ to 111, rallied to 113, and again declined to 111⅝ at the close. Brooklyn Rapid Transit was slightly lower, while Manhattan remained dull, but steady.

The feature of the industrials was the 2-point break in Colorado Fuel and Iron, which sold down to and closed at 44, as compared with 51 bid at the close Wednesday. The weakness was based on the failure of the directors to take any action on the dividend on the preferred stock, which was naturally construed as still further postponing dividends on the common. Amalgamated Copper was fairly active within the range of 48⅝ and 47¾, the latter being the closing point. A small fraction covered the fluctuations in United States Steel, the common selling at 22⅞ to 23¼ and the preferred at 70⅛ to 71. The minor iron and steel stocks were dull and neglected. The general market closed dull and generally at the lowest prices of the day.

Call loan rates ruled easy and unchanged at 1¼@2 per cent. Since last Friday the banks have lost $2,500,000 through sub-treasury operations, and it is generally thought that shipments of currency to the interior have equalled if they have not exceeded receipts. The stock exchanges of the country will be closed tomorrow for the three-day holiday, but the bank statement will be issued at the usual hour on Saturday. From present indications it will make an unfavorable showing, but it is not likely to have any effect upon the stock market, for the reason that there will be no session of the latter after today until next Tuesday.

The tone of the local stock market yesterday was irregular during the greater part of the day, but toward the close of the session there was a change, and final quotations were at or near the highest. Pittsburgh Coal common again led in point of activity. The stock opened lower at 32¾ and sold down to 32⅝, the movement being due to profit-taking sales. Just before the close the price quickly recovered to 34 and closed at 34 bid. The rapidity of the recovery suggested that there was a short interest in the market, and as the stock is pretty well cleared up, shorts might encounter some difficulty in covering. River Coal was also firmer. The common rallied to 11½ bid, and there were no offerings under 13. The preferred advanced to and closed at 38 bid. The 6 per cent bonds were unchanged at 113¼. Westinghouse Airbrake opened a fraction higher at 138 and late in the day advanced to 139¾, closing at a net gain of 1¾. The basis of the rise was the statement made on the authority of Mr. George Westinghouse that the earnings of the company for the fiscal year closed July 31, 1903, were the largest in the history of the company, and that next week the directors would declare the regular quarterly dividend of 2½ per cent and an extra dividend of 3½ per cent, being the same as paid during the past five years. It was further stated that there had never been any discussion among members of the board of directors of reducing the rate of the extra dividend. Westinghouse Electric remained dull, 15 shares of the first preferred selling at 85¾, a decline of ½ from the last previous sale, and 50 shares of the second preferred at 82¼, an advance of ½. The only activity in the steel stocks was the sale of 700 shares United States Steel common at the uniform price of 23. A small lot of the preferred changed hands at 70⅞, a small fractional decline. Crucible Steel common sold at 10@10¼ and the preferred at 71. The natural gas stocks were dull and nominally unchanged. A small lot of National Fire Proofing preferred sold at 31, an advance of ½. Brewing common declined to 29½ and American Window Glass preferred to 69. The only transaction in the banking group was 20 shares Federal National at 147, a decline of 1 per cent. Guarantee Title & Trust was offered down to 153, but no stock changed hands.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Transactions on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday aggregated 4,190-10-17 shares, distributed as follows:

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

15	W. Airbrake	138	
10	do	138	
10	do	138	
50	do	138	
40	do	138	
5	do	138	
50	do	138	
20	do	138	
15	do	138	
20	Pgh. Coal		32⅝
15	do	44	33
20	Fire Proof pf.	31	50
100	Pgh. Coal		32⅝
25	do		32⅞
125	do		32⅝
100	do		32⅞
100	do		32⅝
50	do		32⅝
50	do		32⅝
100	do		32⅝

10:30 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

70	Phila. Co. pfd	44	20
15	do	44	200
20	Fire Proof pf.	31	50
100	Pgh. Coal		32⅝
125	do		32⅝
100	do		32⅝
100	do		32⅝
50	do		32⅝
50	do		32⅝
100	do		32⅝

12:30 P. M. to 2 P. M.

10	Mfrs. L. & H.		64½
10	W. Airbrake		139
50	River Coal pf.		38
50	do		38

2 P. M. to 3 P. M.

80	Crucible		10
20	do		10¼
20	Pgh. Coal		33½
15	do		33¾
50	do		34
50	Luster Mining		13
100	10-17 M. L. & H.		64⅜
5	Ohio Fuel Sup.		40
10	Phila. Co. com.		29½
85	Do pfd.		44
2067	Pgh. Coal		34
116	Do pfd		82¾
100	River Coal pfd.		38
100	U. S. Glass cm		36½
700	U. S. Steel		23
20	Do pfd		70⅞
332	West Airbrake		139¾
5	W. Elec. Ists.		85½
60	Do 2ds		82½
20	Wm. Glass pfd		69
20	Federal N. B.		147

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*Less than one share.

Summary.

Shares.		High.	Low.	Last Sale.	Ch'ge.
50	Brewing com.	29½	29¼	29½	⅛
100	Crucible Steel	10¼	10	10¼	⅛
10	Do pfd	71	71	71	+⅛
20	Fire Proof pfd	31	31	31	+⅛
50	Luster Mining	13	13	13	+⅛
100	10-17 M. L. & H.	64⅜	*62	64⅜	0
5	Ohio Fuel Sup.	40	40	40	0
10	Phila. Co. com.	29½	29½	29½	-⅛
85	Do pfd	44	44	44	-½
2067	Pgh. Coal	34	32⅝	34	+⅛
116	Do pfd	82¾	82¼	82½	+⅛
100	River Coal pfd.	38	38	38	+⅛
100	U. S. Glass cm	36½	36¼	36¼	-⅛
700	U. S. Steel	23	22⅞	23	+⅛
20	Do pfd	70⅞	70⅞	70⅞	+⅛
332	West Airbrake	139¾	138	139¾	+1¾
5	W. Elec. Ists.	85½	85½	85½	+½
60	Do 2ds	82½	82½	82½	+½
20	Wm. Glass pfd	69	69	69	-½
20	Federal N. B.	147	147	147	-1

Closing Bids and Offers.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Pittsburgh Banks.			
Allegheny National	50		120
Federal National	100	147	148
Fifth Avenue	50	74	
Union National	100		105
Western Savings & Deposit	50		116
Trust Companies.			
Equitable Trust	100		178
Fidelity Title & Trust	100		500
Guarantee Title & Trust	100		153
Union Trust	100		2400
Iron City Trust		125	
Allegheny City Banks.			
Dollar Savs. Fund & Trust	100	340	350
Natural Gas.			
Manufacturers Light & Heat	50	34½	34⅝
Electric Light.			
Westinghouse Ists	50	84½	85½
Do 2ds	50	82¼	82½
Miscellaneous.			
Crucible Steel Co	100	10	10¼
Do preferred	100	70⅜	70⅞
National Glass	50		20
National Fire Proof	50	30½	
Philadelphia Co	50	50¼	40
Do preferred	50		44½
United States Glass Co	100	25½	
Westinghouse Airbrake	50	139	

UNLISTED SECURITIES.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Miscellaneous.			
American Window Glass pfd	100	68	
Monongahela River Coal	50	11½	15
Do preferred	50	38	
Pittsburgh Brewing Co	50		29½
Do preferred	50		45
Pittsburgh Coal Co	100	34	
Do preferred	100	82½	83½
Standard Plate Glass	100	140	
United States Steel Co	100	22¾	23
Do preferred	100	70⅜	71

FEATURES OF THE DAY

IN PITTSBURGH

Bank exchanges were $6,963,475, a decrease of $982,000.

Stock market closed firm and higher. Sales 49,190 shares.

Westinghouse Airbrake rallied to 139¾ on assurances of good earnings and no change in dividends.

Pittsburgh Coal common sold down to 32⅝, but quickly recovered to 34 bid.

River Coal common rallied to 11½ bid and the preferred to 38 bid.

Luster Mining jumped $3 to $13 and after the close 14 was bid.

IN WALL STREET

Total sales for the day were 756,000 shares.

Profit taking was liberal, but the decline only depressed a few of the active stocks more than a point.

Foreign exchange market responded to the increased bank rate in London, but New York money market was practically unaffected.

The bond market was very dull and irregular. Total sales (par value) $1,600,000.

United States 2s advanced half 4s ¼ per cent on the last call.

BONDS.	Exp.	Bid.	Ask.
Railroad Bonds.			
Pgh., Mc K. & Conn. 1st 5s	1931		99¾
BONDS.	Exp.	Bid.	Ask.
Miscellaneous.			
Monongahela River Coal 6s	1949		113½
Pittsburgh Brewing 6s	1949	103½	104½

Rally in Westinghouse Airbrake.

President George Westinghouse yesterday authorized the following statement: "The net earnings of the Westinghouse Airbrake Company for the year ended July 31, 1903, were the largest in the history of the company. The directors will meet next week and declare the regular quarterly dividend of 2½ per cent and an extra dividend of 3½ per cent. This announcement was sent out over the exchange tickers, and immediately thereafter the stock, which had been quoting at 138, advanced to 139¾, a net advance of 2½ over the low point of Wednesday, and closed at 139 bid.

In connection with the foregoing the following table, showing the earnings of Airbrake for each of the past 10 years, the amount of cash disbursed in dividends, and the range of the stock in the market, will be interesting:

	Net earnings.	Div. paid.	Stock. price.
1893	$2,100,000	$2,000,000	$100-143
1894	1,248,000	1,000,000	127-133
1895	1,450,000	1,000,000	125-130
1896	2,097,936	2,000,000	126-130
1897	1,520,537	1,750,000	120-126
1898	1,941,000	2,000,000	130-140
1899	3,087,973	2,500,000	149-209
1900	3,042,244	2,750,000	167-227
1901	3,510,198	3,175,000	177-194
1901	2,984,841	2,796,227	166-192
1902	2,928,655	2,604,468	162,165

It was in July, 1898, the year when the net earnings amounted $1,941,000, that the capital was increased from $3,000,000 to $11,000,000 and an extra cash dividend of 50 per cent was paid. In the fiscal year 1900 the company paid 62½ per cent in cash dividends.

Lustre Mining.

Just before the close of the market yesterday Lustre Mining stock, which had been quoting around 9½ bid, jumped to 13, and after the close 14 was bid for the stock. The rise was based upon news from the mine of another successful month's run. It is generally admitted that Lustre has a gold mine, but for 10 years past efforts have been directed toward finding a responsible purchaser for the property. It is believed that patience and the liberal expenditure of cash is about to be rewarded. For a mining stock located in Montana which has never paid a dividend, Lustre has had a remarkable market career. The par value of the stock is $10, and at one time it sold above $50 a share. It sold as low as $5 during the latter part of 1900, and eight months ago it sold at 30 a share. As a Pittsburgh enterprise and its promoters have displayed more pluck than is usually witnessed.

Window Glass Preferred.

A small lot of American Window Glass preferred sold yesterday at 69, the lowest price ever quoted, and only about 5 per cent above the price at which the common stock was quoted just a year ago. The stock pays semi-annual dividends of 3½ per cent, in March and September. Last year the September dividend was passed, but 2 per cent was paid September 1. The stock was never very active because the proportion of the capital stock—being $4,000,000 preferred and $13,000,000 common—is about 1 to 4, in an investment class. The common stock was one of the favorite speculations in the local market, and last year the transactions in it averaged more than 4,000 shares a week, with a total of 20 points fluctuations. Since the conversion of the common stock into American Window Glass Machine stock, more like Steel, the market for the preferred has gradually declined to its present low point.

NOTES AND COMMENT.

The sudden reaction to Pittsburgh Coal common from 32⅝ to 34 sold and bid at the close suggested a heavy short interest. There has been some skepticism over the soundness of the rail in the stock and it is not improbable that much short stock has been put out in the recent rise. The floating supply is now smaller than at any time since the organization of the company, and if there is any considerable short interest outstanding it will be very difficulty in covering. McFarlane was the largest individual buyer yesterday, taking 1,000 shares.

At current quotations Westinghouse Airbrake pays about 5.68 per cent on the investment.

All the stock exchanges in the country will be closed tomorrow and will not reopen until next Tuesday. The New York bank statement will appear tomorrow at the usual hour.

German-American Savings and Trust closed at 127 bid, 130 asked.

Thomas M. Morrison, formerly an officer of the Carnegie Steel Company, has been elected a director of the Diamond National bank to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of John S. Scully.

The general stock of money in the United States was increased during the month of August by $13,250,485, the total amount on September 1 being $2,708,633,092.

The directors of the American Sugar Company have declared regular quarterly dividends of 1¾ per cent on the preferred and 2½ per cent on the common.

The American Beet Sugar Company has declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent on the preferred stock.

The four corporations which lead in the number of stockholders are United States Steel (51,000), Pennsylvania railroad (30,000), Atchison railroad, 15,000, and American Sugar, 15,000. The United States Steel Corporation has led the list in the increase of its number of shareholders, but in the point sharing plan to taken into consideration, more than 75 per cent of the employes of the Pennsylvania railroad and Pennsylvania Steel companies are stockholders, while only 4,000 shareholders the American Sugar Refining Company has the largest number in its interest. The preferred stock is held by 7,000 shareholders. There is materially less stock of these four corporations in brokers' offices than there was four months ago.

For the eight months of this year anthracite shipments have been 42,202,147 tons, as against 39,356,914 in the same period of 1902, and 38,500,643 tons in the eight months of 1901.

The annual report of the American Hide and Leather Company shows a decrease in trading profits of $532,626.

For the first seven months in 1903 the total value of exports of domestic merchandise was $772,120,347 and for the corresponding seven months in 1902 $710,579,195, while for the seven months of 1901 it was $731,143,034.

Spencer Trask & Co., bankers, William and Pine streets, New York, have outlined an analysis indicating the earning power per mile of several important railroad properties. The figures cover earnings as reported for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1903, and about

FINANCIAL.

NOTICE.

On account of negotiations consummated in Europe for the sale of the entire balance of the Treasury stock of the Para Rubber Plantation Company, it has been decided to withdraw the stock from the market on September 16th, 1903, at 5 P. M.

Intending purchasers should at once indicate size of block desired, as preference will be given to subscriptions in the order of their receipt. Price of shares $10.00 each, par value.

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NEWS FROM THE MINES.

The Bunker Hill & Sullivan Company expects to commence the payment of dividends next month at the rate of 5 cents a share, or $18,000 a month," said E. W. Bradley of San Francisco. He is at the head of the D. O. Mills mining interests, which include the Bunker Hill & Sullivan mines at Wardner, the Tacoma smelter and the Alaska Treadwell mines.

In driving the long tunnel in the Humming Bird mine, near Burke, Idaho, which would give nearly a 1,000 foot depth, when the tunnel had been driven about 900 feet, a shoot of ore was struck which did not show on the surface and which was entirely unexpected. There was 12 to 14 inches of fine galena here. The first of the surface shoots was also found in place.

Papers have been signed by the directors of the Californ and Comstock companies, operating at Park City, Utah, for the consolidation of the two properties. The action of the directors is, of course, subject to the action of the stockholders; but, as a majority of the stockholders regard such a course with approval, there will be no trouble on that score.

The Native Copper claims at Alta have been leased for two years and bonded for $50,000 to Tony Jacobson, manager of the Columbus Mining Company.

A good strike has been made at the Waukeka mine, near Rochester, Montana, where at the 900 foot level a 10 inch vein of ore was encountered. It assays $50 in gold on development of the lead. Another body of low grade ore was found 80 feet wide, which will average $20 a ton.

Word has been received in Butte from Peter Larsen, the millionaire mining man of Helena, of the consummation of a large deal involving an important group of mines in Okanagan county, Wash., which Jerome Brumbaugh, of Spokane, Wash., John Wentworth of Okanagan county and a New York syndicate have purchased fifteen of the most promising claims in Okanagan district for $3,000,000.

The Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—Spot tin was £1 5s higher in London at £124, and futures there advanced £1 2s 6d to £122 17s 6d. Locally tin, influenced by the firmness abroad was also higher, closing firm at $27 35@27 60. Copper was lower in London, spot declining 5s to £58 5s, and futures 2s 6d to £57 10s. In New York copper was quiet and unchanged. Lake is quoted at $13 75@13 87½; electrolytic at $13 62½@13 75, and casting at $13 37½@13 50. Lead declined 1s 3d to £13 5s 9d in London and remained unchanged here at $4 25. Spelter was unchanged at £20 17s 6d in London and at $6 00 in New York. Iron closed at 61s 7d in Glasgow and at 46s 10½d in Middlesboro. Locally iron was quiet. No. 1 foundry, northern, is quoted at $17 50@18 00; No. 2 foundry, northern, at $16 50@17 00; No. 1 foundry, southern, and No. 1 foundry, southern, soft, at $18 50@16 75.

PITTSBURGH INDUSTRIAL EXCHANGE.

Yesterday's sales were 200 shares Horseshoe at 75c and 1,500 shares Empire State Oil at 7½c. Closing quotations:

	Bid.	Asked.
Aurora G. M., Oregon		03
Black Cloud Copper, Arizona	3.25	3.75
Black Hills Copper, Arizona		90
Brundage M. & R.		95
Belle of Thunder Mt.		1.30
Calumet & Arizona	100.00	
Calumet & Pittsburgh		115.00
Copper Glance		45
Colonial Copper	.28	.45
Columbus Cons. G. M.		.90
Coal Knob Mines	.65	1.00
Cracker Oregon		.28
Cleveland L. & Z.		.12
Duquesne M.		5.75
Enfield Cons. Mines, pfd.		14½
Federal L. Z. & S.		.23
Golconda		.22
Happy Day		.28
Hidden Fortune		.56
Homestake, S. D.		70.00
Horseshoe (S. D.) pfd.	.29	.31
Lead M. Co. of Amer.		.80
Mine La Motte		6.50
Majestic Coal		2.50
Mineral Creek		.12
Mystic Shrine		.15
Mountain Boy		.12½
Mt. Jefferson Mines	.38	.58
North American Copper		38.00
Oregon Securities	.15	.21
Par Value	.08½	.10
Pgh. Cons. M., M. & T.		.70
Peruvian Mng. C. & G. M.		7.00
Spearfish D. M. pfd.		.60
Stony Pass		.25
South Dewey		.80
Tombstone Cons.		6.00
Tombstone Bond		1000.00
Thunder Mt. G. & S. M.		1.40
Thunder Mt. G. M.		.18
Trade Dollar		1.25
Treadwell Con. Co.		7.00
Treadwell, Geo. A.		7.00
Verde King		.40
Verde Granite		1.10
Vulcan G. M.		.14
Columbia Petroleum		60.00
Empire State Oil		.09
Eureka Oil & Gas		.20
Mutual Mining & Operating		.21
Pgh. & Ind. Oil & Gas	19.25	21.00
Auer Cotton Picker		.30
Colonial Lithographing pfd.		35.00
Do common		45.00
Franklin County C. & Coke		102.00
Independent Fireworks pfd.		.50
Manhattan Coal		.85
Para Rubber		8.00
Pgh. Life & Trust		150.00
Patterson Coal & Supply		102.00
Rough County Coal		.25
Schilling Drug		48.00
Westings A. A. & S. C.		45.00
W. S. Car & Vehicle		1.00
Finance Co. of Pittsburgh		100.00

Boston Copper Stocks.

(Reported by A. E. Masten & Co.)

STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close. Bid.
Alloucz				5½
Adventure	6	6	6	5½
Amalgamated				47⅝
Arcadian				11½
Black Diamond	33	33⅝		33⅝
Calumet & Arizona	*110	*120		110
Calumet & Cochise				111
Calumet & Hecla				470
Centennial	20⅛	20⅛	20⅛	20⅛
Colonet & Pgh.				2⅞
Elm River				27½
Franklin				8½
Higgins				17½
L. S. & P. D.				16½
Majestic	40			2
Mass				5
Mohawk				41⅜
Michigan	8½	8½	8½	8½
Montreal & Boston				2⅞
Osceola				59½
Old Dominion				10
Old Colony				1
Parrot				20½
Phoenix				3
Pgh. & Duluth				100
Quincy	90	90	90	85
Range Consolidated	64½	65	64½	64½
Rhode Island				½
Santa Fe				103
Trimountain				71
Trinity	7½	7½	7½	7¼
Tamarack				205
Union Pacific	99	99	99	98
Utah	27⅝	27⅝	27⅝	27⅝
U. S. Mining	20½	20½	20½	20
Victoria				2¾
Wolverine				72
Winona				3½
Wolverine & Ariz.				48
Junction				15

*Bid. †Asked.

In the Oil Fields

Later reports from the strike near Milton, Cabell county, W. Va., do not differ from the previous authentic information received from a field man on the ground. The owners of the well are putting up four additional tanks as the well will when completed be a 2,000 barrel wall deeper. It will require about seven miles of pipe line to connect up the well with the Eureka Pipe Line Company's 6-inch line, and the company declines to put in the line till the gauging qualities of the well are known. W. Beckett farm have been tested. It is the opinion of experienced oil men that, from the present showing, it will not make better than a 15-barrel pumper and that to all protection the oil was encountered in the salt sand instead of the Keener formation, as previously reported.

In the Folsom district in Wetzel county, the South Penn Oil Company has drilled its No. 6 on the W. B. Starkey farm 25 feet into the stray sand and has a small showing of oil. The same company has drilled No. 2 on the Harriet Talbott farm through the Gordon sand and has no show for a producer. No. 4 on the A. H. Heldreth has been drilled 20 feet into the Gordon and has filled up 2,000 feet with fluid.

In the Fairview district, Marion county, the South Penn Oil Company has drilled its No. 21 on the Susan Yost farm into the 30-foot sand and a show of oil in that formation. On the Pine Grove extension the South Penn has completed its test on the L. Jolliffe farm and has a gasser in the Gordon. The South Penn has shot its No. 2 on the J. R. Pittman farm and the well produced 40 barrels the first 18 hours. On the west side the Linden Oil Company has drilled in its No. 8 on the Yeater farm and the well produced 25 barrels the first 24 hours. In the Smithfield district the South Penn has drilled its test on the William Gallagher farm 30 feet into the Big Injun sand and has no show for a producer. The United States Oil & Coal Company has drilled its No. 2 on the Bartley farm 35 feet into the Big Injun and has no oil or gas.

In the Fish Creek district, Marshall county, the South Penn has drilled its No. 4 on the F. M. McIlvaine farm 10 feet into the Gordon and has encountered a very strong gas pressure. In the "Little Germany" district, in the same county, the South Penn has completed its No. 5 on the Margaret Hartley farm and has a show for a 25-barrel producer in the Gordon.

East of the Copley district in Lewis county, the South Penn Oil Company has given its test on the I. N. Means farm a shot and will put it to pumping. It will make a small producer instead of a duster as first reported. On the east side of the Folsom district in Harrison county, the production of the South Penn Oil Company's No. 4 on the G. W. Talkington farm is dropping to a lower level. The production as gauged for the last 24 hours was 160 barrels. No. 1 on the Shoevalier farm, northeast of the Pine Grove extension, for the same time was 208 barrels.

In the Wetzel-Tyler extension in Ritchie county, the Buda Creek Oil & Gas Company's Nos. 3 and 6 Mohany heirs', the Carter Oil Company's No. 3 S. J. Mohaney and Leonard, Egan & Co's No. 2 Henry Walters are all on even terms, each producing 100 barrels a day.

South of Knoxville, Jefferson county, O., the Safe Oil Company has completed its No. 5 on the J. L. Eble farm and will have a very small pumper. The same company has completed No. 4 on the Cooper heirs' farm and has a 10-barrel pumper. In the same district the Consolidated Oil Company, Inc., has completed a second test on the Charles Ward farm and has a 10-barrel pumper. Cooper Bros. have completed No. 5 on the John Cooper farm and have a 25-barrel producer. U. G. Marks & Co. have drilled their second test on H. S. Rinehart farm through the sand and will not have better than a 5-barrel pumper.

In the shallow sand territory on Wolf creek, Washington county, Zinn & Co. have commenced a second test on the Daniel Coleman farm and have a 3-barrel pumper. In the same district J. A. Henne & Co's No. 26 on the John Lightner farm has drilled its production from 150 to 160 barrels a day.

South of Burgettstown, Washington county, Kelly Bros. & Cooper have drilled their test on the R. R. Morgan farm into the 30-foot and have a show for a small pumper. In the same district R. G. Gillespie is drilling a test on the John Scott farm and E. H. Jennings & Bros. are drilling a test on the John Easton farm. Near Scotts Station, Allegheny county, the South Penn Oil Company has completed its No. 5 on the Boyce heirs' farm and has a show for a 10-barrel pumper.

Shipments and Runs.

Shipments and runs of the Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana fields:

PENNSYLVANIA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
Sept. 2	78,636	Sept. 1	88,032
Previously	92,580		
Total	171,216		
Daily average	85,608		

LIMA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
Sept. 2	55,205	Sept. 1	57,462
Previously	94,795		
Total	150,064		
Daily average	75,032		

The Oil Market.

Following are the standard credit balance prices for the various fields: Pennsylvania, $1.70; Thornton, $1.70; Corning, $1.56; Bear Castle, $1.45; North Lima, $1.50; Ohio, $1.58; South Lima and Indiana, $1.05; White House, $1.10; Somerset, 90c; Raglan, 65c. The Producers & Refiners Oil Company also quotes $1.06 for Pennsylvania grade.

OIL CITY, PA., Sept. 3.—Credit balances, $1.56; certificates, no bid; shipments, 78,136 barrels; average, 80,859 barrels; runs, September 1, 88,824 barrels; shipments, Lima, 55,205 barrels; average, 75,032 barrels; runs, Lima, September 1, 57,462 barrels.

COMPLETE RECORD NEW YORK STOCKS

Daily range of prices received by Messrs. Henry Brandt & Co., Farmers Deposit Bank building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges, and Chicago board of trade.

ACTIVE LIST.

STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Adams Express				220
Alton, T. H. & S. W.				40
Do preferred				80
Amalgamated Copper	47½	48⅝	47½	48⅝
American Agricultural Chemical	39	39	38½	38½
Do preferred	90	90	90	90
American Car & Foundry	31	31	30½	30½
Do preferred	90	90	90	90
American Cotton Oil	37	37	37	37
American Express				240
American Ice Securities	22	22	21½	21½
American Linseed Oil	12	12	12	12
Do preferred	40	40	40	40
American Locomotive	31	31	30½	30½
Do preferred	90	90	90	90
American Smelting & Refining	47½	47½	47	47
Do preferred	97	97	97	97
American Steel Foundries	24	24	24	24
Do preferred	80	80	80	80
American Sugar Refining	127	127	126½	126½
Do preferred	120	120	120	120
American Tobacco	90	90	90	90
Do preferred	130	130	130	130
Anaconda Mining	44	44	43½	43½
Atchison	64½	64⅝	64⅛	64⅛
Do preferred	96	96	96	96
Atlantic Coast Line	140	140	140	140
Baltimore & Ohio	97½	97½	97	97
Do preferred	96	96	96	96
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	68	68	67½	67½
Canadian Pacific	154	154	153½	153½
Central of Georgia	34	34	34	34
Do preferred	80	80	80	80
Chesapeake & Ohio	42	42	42	42
Chicago & Alton	35	35	35	35
Chicago Great Western	19	19	19	19
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	170	170	169½	169½
Chicago & Northwestern	210	210	210	210
Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific	28	28	28	28
Colorado Fuel & Iron	44	44	44	44
Colorado Southern	24	24	24	24
Do 1st preferred	57	57	57	57
Do 2d preferred	38	38	38	38
Consolidated Gas	200	200	200	200
Delaware & Hudson	180	180	180	180
Delaware, Lack. & Western	270	270	270	270
Denver & Rio Grande	37	37	37	37
Do preferred	90	90	90	90
Distillers' Securities	41	41	41	41
Erie	37	37	37	37
Do 1st preferred	70	70	70	70
Do 2d preferred	57	57	57	57
General Electric	168	168	168	168
Great Northern preferred	225	225	225	225
Hocking Valley	90	90	90	90
Illinois Central	150	150	150	150
Iowa Central	22	22	22	22
Do preferred	50	50	50	50
Kansas & Texas	30	30	30	30
Do preferred	70	70	70	70
Lake Erie & Western	45	45	45	45
Do preferred	90	90	90	90
Lake Shore	220	220	220	220
Louisville & Nashville	130	130	130	130
Manhattan Elevated	150	150	150	150
Metropolitan Street Railway	113	113	111	111
Mexican Central	22	22	22	22
Minneapolis & St. Louis	70	70	70	70
Do preferred	120	120	120	120
Missouri Pacific	94	94	93	93
Mobile & Ohio	42	42	42

DIAMOND SQUARE STORE BUILDING

Frank McCann Has Decided to Erect a Handsome Block on a Large Site.

AN EAST END SALE OF $45,000

Property Sold by Orphans Court for $20,500—A $500,000 Contract for Houses in McKeesport—Local Building Contracts.

The first of the new buildings that will really be a credit to the new diamond street district and not an eyesore will be erected by Frank McCann on three properties which he has secured during the last 18 months. One of these is the old Black Bear hotel property adjoining the Holmes holdings and facing in Masters way. The buildings on the lot were torn down some time ago and the excavations for the foundations for a new building are nearly completed. Adjoining this on the south is the Haslage lot, which, with the former, gives Mr. McCann a frontage of 90 feet by a depth of about 125 feet. It was not known until recently that the Haslage lot was to be included in the site, but this has been decided upon and the building on the lot will be torn down soon. To secure an outlet from the Haslage lot to Diamond street Mr. McCann recently bought from William Flinn a lot 18x99 feet, which will also be covered by the proposed building. Plans for the structure have been prepared by Architect F. C. Sauer, and bids are now being taken. Although the plans call for a three-story structure only the foundations will be made strong enough for an eight-story building, which will probably be put up within two years. The new building will be designed especially for store purposes, and the size of the main rooms, 50x125 feet, makes it one of the most desirable buildings of this kind downtown. The main portion of the building will be separated from new Diamond street by the Lloyd holdings.

Business Property Brought $45,000.

The largest sale of East End business property announced for some time is that of the block at the northwest corner of Collings avenue and Kirkwood street, Nineteenth ward. Through James B. Lawler of the East End Savings and Trust Company, W. B. Bennett has sold the property to W. R. Kuhn for $45,000. The lot has a frontage of 67.5 feet in Collins avenue and a depth of 105 feet, making the price of the frontage about $666 a foot. It is improved with four two-story brick business houses, which are all well rented. In considering the improvements and the location the property is looked upon as very reasonable, and is likely to prove a good investment for which purpose it was bought.

The same company has negotiated the sale of two other properties for a combined consideration of $10,500. The larger one, a modern three-story brick house on lot 45x155 feet, on the south side of Rose avenue, Wilkinsburg, belonged to Leopold Vilsack and was sold to Mary C. Yahl. R. E. Loughney was the broker in the sale, which amounted to $6,500. The other property, from Mrs. Angelina Carr to John B. McCauley of a two-story frame house, lot 24x100 feet, in Carver street, Twenty-first ward, which was bought for $4,000.

Orphan's Court Sale of $20,500.

A successful orphans court sale was the disposal yesterday of the Mrs. Ivy Taylor property in Braddock avenue, Braddock, for $20,500. The property measures 40x139 feet on the east side of Braddock avenue near Ninth street and extends through to Pine alley. The three-story brick building on the lot is known as the Hotel Seng and is rented at a good figure. John A. Wilson was administrator of the estate, and the sale was conducted by Auctioneer A. J. Pentecost.

Mrs. Peter J. McNulty has bought from William G. Bancker a lot 50x200 feet on the south side of Center avenue near Aiken avenue, Twentieth ward, for $15,500. The lot is improved with a good residence and will be built for an addition to the residence grounds of Mr. McNulty.

The awarding of a $500,000 contract to A. Wishart & Co. of Sharon, for house building in McKeesport promises to relieve in great measure the scarcity of houses that has resulted from the protest of the United States Steel Corporation to build a $10,000,000 tube mill in that latter city. The venture is backed by a McKeesport real estate company, which bought the property on which the houses will be built for $62,000. They will be four, five and six room dwellings, with all the modern conveniences, and no two of them will be alike. J. B. McClellan of Sharon designed the houses, and to assist in rapid building the contractors will at once establish a lumber yard and stone quarry at McKeesport to employ over 100 men. Twenty-five of the 101 houses will be started next week.

Telephone Building Going Ahead.

Architects Alden & Harlow will put the plans on the boards Monday for the nine-story building of the Central District Printing and Telegraph Company, to be erected in the rear of the company's present building at the corner of Seventh avenue and Montour way. The building will be used chiefly for storage and operating purposes and will cost about $100,000.

Charles Reif has secured the contract from Architect Fred C. Sauer for the erection of the brick for the Lloyd Realty Company at Nos. 1217-1219 Liberty avenue. Six stories will be added to the present structure and a private heat and light plant will be installed. The cost will be $45,000. The same architect has awarded to the A. J. Kuhn Company the contract for building the parsonage of St. Joseph's Roman Catholic church in Locust street, Allegheny, at a cost of $4,500.

Architects E. J. Carlisle & Co. have awarded the contract for the Union National Bank building at Braddock to the George Hogg Company for $50,000. The building will be erected in Braddock avenue and although only a one-story structure will be one of the most elaborate buildings in the Monongahela valley, as it will have a granite front and marble finish. The cost, including the fixtures, will be about $60,000.

North Side Allotments.

The north side of the Allegheny river has come to the front this season as a center for desirable allotments, and those which have been opened there have been marked with a speed that proves the popularity of the section. Two more lot plans are to be formally opened there with a big sale tomorrow. One of them is the Lindmore plan, and is being handled by the Greater Pittsburgh Real Estate Company. It is located in Evergreen road and is easily reached by the West View and Perry street cars. In addition to the low price of the lots, from $75 up, the company assures its visitors a free dinner and excellent band music.

The other allotment, "Rodenbaugh Place," is in the hands of the Allegheny Real Estate and Trust Company, which has been notably successful in marketing a number of North Side plans. The property adjoins the Fairhope holdings of Henry Phipps just outside the Allegheny city limits and is only a short distance east of the Perrysville avenue line and near Duquesne boulevard.

Crawford street: The Fifth Avenue Realty Company sold for M. Hirsch to Martin Reichan three brick houses, lot 24x120 feet, in Crawford street, between Reed and Rose streets, for $6,000. The same company sold for James A. Murphy to S. H. Rubenstein No. 2218 Center avenue, a three-story brick building on lot 24x100 feet, for $7,500.

Scattering Residence Deals.

Chess street: J. C. Dick sold to Milton S. Barnes a lot 46.5x303 feet, on the corner of Chess and Hobbs street, Thirty-second ward, for $3,500.

Eccles street: Theresa Thomas sold to P. Holtz an improved lot, 20x100 feet, on the south side of Eccles street, Twenty-seventh ward, for $2,600.

Wilmot place: Louisa C. Dettler sold to Eugene M. O'Neill an improved lot, 36x100 feet, on the east side of Wilmot place, near Zelma street, Fourteenth ward, for $7,500.

Benton avenue: Charles Somers sold to James G. Hunter five lots, 150x100 feet, at the northeast corner of Benton avenue and Parnell street, Eleventh ward, for $8,000.

East End: W. E. Shireus sold to Israel L. Griffith an improved lot, 28x116 feet, at the northeast corner of East End avenue and Juniata street, Twenty-second ward, for $3,500.

Thirty-fifth street: Jane Clark sold to Robert H. Hay an improved property, 80x85 feet, at the northwest corner of Thirty-fifth and Charlotte streets, Thirteenth ward, for $9,000.

Crawford street: Benjamin Hirsch sold to Martin Reichman an improved lot, 24x134 feet, on the east side of Crawford street, Eighth ward, for $6,000.

Trowbridge street: Thomas W. McFarland sold to Miles W. Etter an improved lot, 21x115 feet, on the south side of Trowbridge street, near Glenwood avenue, Twenty-third ward, for $3,500.

Transfers Recorded.

Mellon R B to P F Schuchman, July 30, '03, Patton twp, 30x120, Thomas st.. $ 500
Henderson James to J Black, April 6, '03, Versailles boro, 50x100, Wampler st.. 1,800
Robinson John W to J Wirt, Mch 31, '03, Elizabeth, 50x120, Sixth st.. 450
Vogel Louis to G Thoms, Aug 28, '03, Reserve twp, 24x84, Beadle ave.. 1,850
Zollinger John to J Culler, Aug 14, '03, 20th wd, Pgh, 20x100, Rosedale st.. 3,700
Reynolds Thomas to A Forsythe, Aug 1, '03, 10th wd, McKeesport, 60x120, Atlantic ave.. 3,300
Thorn Wm R to L Farster, Aug 21, '03, Harrison twp, 50x100, Lilac ave.. 1,150
Armstrong Wm A to J A Hill, Sept 2, '03, Herman st.. 3,000
Brown Charles P to Z L Ehten, Aug 1, '03, 21st wd, Pgh, lot, Idlewild st.. 5,250
Hall James F to U F Crawford, Aug 25, '03, Charlier's twp, lot, Green ave.. 2,800
Whitehill James R to J W Whitehill, July 24, '03, 21st wd, Pgh, 26x93, Kedron ave.. 1,000
McLaughlin James et ux to J E Smith, April 30, '03, 21st wd, Pgh, 26x36, Kedron ave.. 4,200
Fowell George N to J F Powell, Aug 18, '03, 20th wd, Pgh, lot, Howe st.. 20,500
Schneller Wm to J Friedman, July 15, '03, 20th wd, Pgh, 92x70, Ella st.. 3,500
Seep C P et ux to R H M Mackenzie, Mch 21, '03, 4th wd, Pgh, lot, Penn ave.. 45,000
Buckle Ellen V to H M Smith, Aug 25, '03, 21st wd, Pgh, 50x100, Lincoln ave.. 5,200
Friedman Moss to I L Arnson, Aug 1, '03, 2d wd, Pgh, lot, Grant st.. 69,000
Sachs Chas H to A F Gradman, Aug 1, '03, 8th wd, Pgh, 18x69, Mercer st.. 4,500
Russell Wm A to A R Cooley, Mch 11, '03, 9th wd, McKeespt, 25x117, Harrison st.. 500
Martsolf Frederick C to P C Wellenbacher, May 9, '03, Stowe twp, 30x160, Morewood ave.. 4,000
Kerr H T to H Rohife, Mch 27, '03, Wilkinsburg, 25x100, Coal st.. 2,800
Becker Wm J to J Steiner Jr, Aug 1, '03, 3d wd, McKeespt, lot, Berlin ave.. 1,850
Thrasher Wm H to Jane Berg, Aug 31, '03, Wilkinsburg, 25x120, Maplewood ave.. 2,500
Turtle Creek L & Imp Co to T H Kelsop Jr, Aug 6, '03, Turtle Creek, 25x74, Oak ave.. 850
Hodgson John H to Sarah Boyd, Oct 28, '03, Mansfield, 50x150, Plank road.. 1,750
Jackman Wm to W J K Snyder, July 18, '03, Avalon, 40x137, Taylor st.. 900
Cosgrove James to P J Brinkman, May 19, '03, 20th wd, Pgh, 31x69, Marchand st.. 6,050
Patterson John to E Quakkir, Mch 14, '03, Patton twp, 25x100, Wood st.. 1,000
Turtle Creek L & I Co to M W Chambers, Aug 24, '03, Turtle Creek, lot, Roosevelt ave.. 3,450
Hays George to E E Frederick, Aug 29, '03, Bellevue, 33x150, Dawson ave.. 6,500
Levin Charles to C Levin, Aug 24, '03, 9th wd, McKeesport, 50x108, Auburn ave.. 1,400
Killen Dorcthea to F Killen, July 29, '03, 21st wd, Pgh, 40x95, Mt Vernon ave.. 800

HANDY MAN WITH FIREARMS

Alleghenian Who Demanded Drink at a Revolver's Point Is Now Locked Up.

John Knoellinger of Clark street, Allegheny, was arrested yesterday morning after considerable effort by Detectives T. C. Johnston and Charles England and locked in the Central police station on a charge of feloniously shooting with intent to kill on the information of Don Stehle, a saloon keeper of No. 1717 Lowrie street, Allegheny, before Alderman Samuel Abernathy.

When detectives went to the Knoellinger house and began a search he was found on the second floor. When they came on him he had a rifle and threatened to kill them. He was quickly disarmed and taken to the police station. Knoellinger was arrested for having entered Stehle's saloon Wednesday night and demanded a drink at the point of a revolver. The bartender, John Berringer, started to run. Knoellinger followed him and fired one shot, which narrowly missed Berringer.

Drygoods Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—Buyers of drygoods are willing to purchase slightly increased quantities for immediate delivery, but show no inclination to speculate. There is no evidence of any weakening on the part of sellers, who see in the outlook nothing which would warrant them in making concessions. Jobbers continue busy and reports received from all sections of the country note a very satisfactory distributing business.

An Enterprising Youngster

will take advantage of the Home Trust Company's offer in next Sunday's Gazette.

RAISINS WILL BE ONE CENT HIGHER

California Growers Combine to Raise Price—Potatoes Expected to Go Down.

Lovers of raisins will have to pay just one cent more a pound for them than last year. This is the verdict that has lately been reached by the California Raisin association, which has notified local jobbers this week. The advance is explained by the fact that a number of fruit growers have combined to put up the prices and that the market must stand the increase. California Muscatels, one, three and four crowns, are now in the market at 7½ and 8½ cents for 50-pound boxes, and seedless varieties in one-pound packages are quoted at 9@10½ cents a pound.

St. Louis tomatoes are practically out of the market, as are also California and Texas canteloupes. Home-grown tomatoes are plenty and of a good quality. Maryland canteloupes are in good supply at $2 to@2 25, and Rocky fords are bringing $3 50 to $4 00. Grapes took a fall of from five to eight cents a basket yesterday, selling at 20@25 cents. Seedless California varieties are quoted at $1 00 and $1 20, a decline of 25 cents a basket.

Bananas still keep scarce in the market and were sold on the trucks yesterday for $1 50 a bunch. Jumbos, the best of the "fruits," are quoted at from $2 25 to $2 75. In garden produce there is little change in sight, though the home-grown stock is sufficient to keep the quotations down. Potatoes are firm at prices quoted, although a trade of 20 or 25 cents a bushel is expected almost any day or as soon as the shortage caused by the excessive wet weather of last week is relieved.

The price of rye has advanced 3½ cents a bushel in Chicago within one week, and local quotations have gone up in sympathy. The shipments are fully up to the average and the quality of the grain is good. Middlings are quoted 1c higher, but are very scarce in market. At market 60 cars of hay, 5 of straw, 1 of clover seed of the Dutch and crimson varieties.

HAY, GRAIN AND FEED.

Receipts, by rail: Pennsylvania lines, 13 cars hay, 1 car straw, 5 cars bran, 2 cars middlings, 1 car rye, 3 cars feed; Baltimore & Ohio railroad, 8 cars hay, 2 cars oats. Total receipts, 39 cars.

Hay, No. 1 timothy....$18.50@18.75
do No. 2....17.50@18.00
No. 1 clov....16.50@17.00
No. 1 mix....16.00@16.50
No. 1 mix....15.50@16.00
Loose from wagon....15.00@17.00
Straw, oat....6.50@7.00
do wheat....6.00@7.00
do rye....9.00@9.50
Oats, No. 2 white....40@40½
do No. 3....39½@40
do No. 4....38½@39

Rye, No. 2....
Mich....62@63c
White middlings, No. 2....$22.00@22.50
do brown....21.00@21.50
Bran, ton....$18.00@18.50
Wheat, No. 2 red....
Corn, No. 2 yellow, shelled....60@61c
No. 2 mix....59½@60c
No. 2 yel. car....61@62c
High mix....59½@60c
High mix....58½@59c

GROCERIES.

Flour.
Fancy sug. p....$3.00@3.10
Fancy wh. pat....4.15
Straight wh. pat....3.90
Bakers apr....3.40@3.60
Rye....3.55@3.65
Graham....4.00@4.50
Cornmeal, bbl....3.20
do 10-lb cotton bags....18@19c
Rolled oats, bbl....5.75@6.00
do kegs....3.00@3.15
Roasted Coffee.
Rio....9½@12c
Santos....12½@15c
Maracaibo....15@17½c
Peaberry....17@18c
Golden Rio....15@16c
Cairo....15@16c
Standard java....9.55c
High gr do....14.30@16.30c
Molasses, fancy....
prime....35@37c
do choice....32@35c
do open ket....40@45c
Syrup.
Fancy sugar....28@30c
Sug. and cream....24@26c
Prime....24@25c
2½-lb cans, doz....85c
5-lb cans, doz....$1.15
5-lb cans, doz....$1.85
10-lb cans, doz....$3.60
Maple, gal....75@$1.00
Oatmeal bbl....$5.25@5.50
do kegs....$2.75@2.85
Sugar, sta. gran....5.10c
Sugar, 5-lb cotton bags....5.25c
do powdered....5.25c
do wh. extd. xxxx....5.25c
do extra C....5.00c
do cut loaf....5.60c
do coff. A....4.90@5.00c
do No. 1 yellow....4.75c
do No. 2 yellow....4.70c
do No. 3 yellow....4.65c
Beans.
Marrow, bu....$1.60@1.70
Navy, H. P....$2.35@2.45
Navy, imp....$2.20@2.30
Red kidney....$2.40@2.50
Cal. lima, lb....5@5½c
Peas, strictly dry, bu....$1.70@1.75
do split, lb....4c
Oil, carbon, 110 do headlight....11½c
do water white....12c
do Chic. W. W....
Cans, 125 deg....12c
do miners....26@28c
do Elaine....16c
do special....
Rice, ex-fancy head, lb....7½@7¾c
do fancy....6½@6¾c
do choice Carolina....5@6¼c
Salt, No. 1, bbl....$1.00
do No. 1 extra....$1.10
do gran. sack....35c
do packet....$1.25@1.35
do dairy....$1.35

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches 4th pie....$1.10
do pie, gal....2.50@3.00
do California....$1.40
do California, 2....2.75
do Mary-land....$1.15@1.65
do Illinois....$1.40@2.00
do N. Y....$1.80@2.00
Corn, fancy....$1.50@1.45
do std....$1.20@1.25
Cherries, Cal., white....$2.50@2.65
Lima beans....$1.25@1.40
do marked....95@$1.05
String beans....$1.25@1.40
do 2-lb....85c
Succotash....$1.25@1.75
Peas, marrofat....95@$1.05
do early June....$1.60@1.80
do sifted....70@80c
Apples, N. Y....
gal. cans....$2.15@2.25
Pineapples....$1.90@2.20

DRIED FRUITS.

Apricots, evap....
bags....7½@11c
do 25-lb boxes....9½@11c
Apples, bulk....6½@7½c
do 1-lb carton....7½@8½c
Currants, cleaned....
Peaches....5@6½c
Raspberries....20@21c
Raisins, seeded, 1-lb pkgs....9½@10½c
Raisins, Muscatel, 2 crown....
do 3 crown....
do 4 crown....
50-lb boxes....7½@8½c
do Clusters....
Val....9½@10c
do Cal. Val....
Currants, cleaned, bulk and 20-lb pkgs....6½@7c
Prunes....3½@10c

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1 mess, bbl....$25.00
do half bbl....13.50
do quarter bbl....7.00
Mackerel, No. 1 plain, bbls....$16.00
do half bbls....8.50
do quar. bbls....4.50
do 20-lb pails....$2.75
do 10-lb pails....$1.45
Mackerel, No. 2, bbls....$15.00
do half bbls....8.50
do quar. bbls....4.50
do 20-lb pails....$2.30
do 10-lb pails....$1.15
Lake herring, bbl....$3.75
do half bbl....1.90
do quar....$1.00
do 10-lb....50c

SEEDS.

Alfalfa....$6.00@8.00
Millet....$1.25@1.50
Orass, Hungarian....
timothy....90@$1 15
do head, lb....1½@2c
do prime....$1.80@1 75
do extra....$1.90@2.00
do clover....
Timothy....$1.60@1.75

PRODUCE.

Eggs plent.
Fancy fresh....75@81.00
do hennery....$1.00@1.25
do home run....$0.95@$1.00
Carrots, doz....25c
Celery, bunch....
String beans, bu....50@75c
Cauliflower, doz....$1.50@2.00
Rhubarb, doz....20@25c
Watercress, doz....15@20c
Tomatoes, bu....50@60c
do home grown....
bu....75@90c
do Mt. Jeme....60@65c
Horseradish, gal....
quart....12@14c
Mushrooms, lb....30@40c
Peppers, green, crate....$1.00
Peas, bu....$2.00@2.50
Squash, crate....$1.25@1.50
do home grown, bu....$1.00@1.25
Okra, doz....50@60c
String beans, bu....$1.25@1.50
Tomatoes, crate....$1.25@1.50
do home grown, bu....$1.00@1.25
Turnips, bu....50@60c
Onions, bbl....$2.25@2.50
do home grown, bu....50@75c
do new, doz....15@20c
Spanish, crate....$1.50
Cucumbers, hot-house....20@25c
do home grown....
do hamp....$1.00@1.25
do home grown....
Cabbage, new, bbl....$1.25@1.40
Beets, doz....75c
Parsley, doz....10@15c
Spinach, bu....50@60c
Radishes, doz....20c
Garlic, lb....7@10c

DOMESTIC FRUITS.

Apples, fancy, bbl....$2.50@2.75
do choice....$1.50@1.75
do bu bskt....
do chip....
do Cal., box....$1.40
Peaches....$2.50@3.00
do baskets....50@75c
Cantaloupes....
Maryland....$2.00@2.25

TROPICAL FRUITS.

Lemons, Messina....$4.00@4.50
do Cal....$3.50@3.75
Oranges, California....$3.00@3.50
do Mexican....$3.00@3.50
Limes, per 100....$1.00
Bananas, per bunch....$1.50@2.00
Pineapples, Cuban....$1.00@3.50
Figs, California....$2.50@2.75
Pears, California....$2.50@2.60
Peaches, California....$2.25@2.75
Grapes, Cal., Malaga....$1.00
do Tokay....$2.00@2.25
do seedless....$1.00@1.75

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.
Prints....22½@27½c
Tubs....21½@24½c
Ohio creamery....22½@24½c
Dairy....16@17c
Country roll....15@16c
Ohio N. Y. dairy....
do creamery....
do Cal....
do Ore....
do Wash....
do ½ roll....
Eggs.
Pa. & Ohio selects....20@21c
do candled....19@20c
do cold storage....
do ordinary....
do ½ cases....
Cheese.
Ohio, new....13½@14c
do old....
Limburger....
Swiss....
Pineapple....
Sap sago....
Brick....
Edam....
Neufchatel....
Cream....
Roquefort....
Domestic Swiss....

POULTRY.

Live hens, lb....11@12c
Live spring....11@12c
Roosters....6@7c
Ducks....11@12c
Geese....10@11c
Turkeys....12@13c
Dressed hens....12@13c
Dressed spring....13@14c
Roosters....11c

PROVISIONS.

Hams.
16 lbs and up....12½c
Over 14 to 16 lbs....12½c
Over 12 to 14 lbs....12½c
10 lbs and under....14½c
Skinned....14½c
Pressed, boiled....24c
California....9½c
Shoulders, N. Y. cut....9½c
do....9½c
Bacon....12½c
Breakfast bacon, rolls....13c
8 to 10 lbs....13½c
10 to 12 lbs....13½c
12 to 16 lbs....13½c
do back strips....13c
do bellies....13c
Lard, pure....
Prime....11½c
do 10 to 12 lbs....11½c

Breakfast bacon, bark stripe....12c
Dry salt sides, extra....9½c
do short clears....9½c
Before, 20 to 25....10c
do 16 to 20....10½c
Dry salt shoulders....8½c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs....11c
do 16 to 20 lbs....11½c
do under 16 lbs....12c
Pigs' feet, bbls....$2.00
do ½ bbls....1.10
do ¼ bbls....60c
Tripe, bbl....$1.00@4.00
do ½ bbl....2.00@2.50
Pickled pigs' feet....$2.00
Pickled lips....$2.00
Pickled tongues....$6.00
Pickled hocks....$4.00
Pickled snouts....$4.00
Pickled ears....$2.00
Pickled feet....$2.00
Pickled tripe....$4.00
Pickled pork....$15.00
Pickled pigs....$2.00
Pickled rolls....$12.00
Pickled shoulders....$10.00
Pickled hams....$14.00
Pickled bellies....$12.00
Pickled boneless....$15.00
Pickled rumps....$12.00
Pickled loins....$16.00
Pickled butts....$14.00
Pickled blade bones....$8.00
Pickled neck bones....$8.00
Pickled feet....$2.00
Pickled tripe....$4.00
Pickled pork....$15.00
Pickled pigs....$2.00
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Pickled butts....$14.00
Pickled blade bones....$8.00
Pickled neck bones....$8.00

WHEAT CLOSED LOWER IN CHICAGO MARKET

December Corn Advanced and Oats Were Higher at Finish. Provisions Strong.

[By Associated Press To The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 3.—Owing to higher prices for corn, the early wheat market showed weakness, and prices were off 1c to 1½c. There was rather heavier liquidation, however, owing to the fact that northwest receipts were smaller and the strength created by the cut and the advance was sufficient to cause considerable short covering on the part of local traders. The market closed weak at 1c to 1½c net decline, with September at 76@76½c, December at 78½@78¾c and May at 81½@81¾c. Local receipts were 54 cars.

Fewer cars than expected and less buying resulted in prices for corn showing a firmer tone. There was liquidation by commission houses and local traders, but offerings were well taken. Cash sales were 423,000 bu. December closed ½c higher at 51½@51¾c, and May closed ½c higher at 52½@52¾c. Local receipts were 317 cars, with 1 contract grade. Oats were strong, with buying of good character by commission houses and local traders. The latter sold moderately on the advance, and closed about ½c net higher. Cash sales were 200,000 bu. The market showed December up 5@5½c at 41½@41¾c, closing at the top. The May option closed ½c higher at 43½@43¾c. Local receipts were 94 cars.

Fewer hogs than expected and less buying resulted in packers paying steady prices for hogs. There was liquidation by commission houses and local traders, but offerings were well taken. Cash sales were 42,000 bu. December sold at 72½@73c, closing at 72½c. May sold at 77½@77¾c, closing at 77½c. Local receipts were 37 cars, including 1 contract grade, 30 by sample.

The leading futures reported by John G. Armstrong & Co., members of the Chicago board of trade, Farmers Bank building, were as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday's Close.
WHEAT.					
No. 2					
Sept.	81⅞	81⅞	81	81⅛	81⅞
Dec.	78½	78¾	78	78¼	79½
May	81½	81¾	81	81⅝	82⅝
CORN.					
No. 2					
Sept.	50	50	49½	49½	50⅛
Dec.	51½	52¼	51½	51¾	51⅛
May	52½	53	52½	52⅝	52⅛
OATS.					
No. 2					
Sept.	39	39	38½	38½	39⅛
Dec.	41½	43	41½	42¾	41⅜
May	43½	44	43½	43¾	43⅜
PORK.					
Sept.	12 40	12 40	12 40	12 40	12 40
Oct.	12 40	12 45	12 40	12 45	12 40
Jan.	13 05	13 05	13 05	13 05	13 05
LARD.					
Sept.	6 40	6 42½	6 40	6 42½	6 40
Oct.	6 42½	6 45	6 42½	6 45	6 42½
Jan.	6 15	6 15	6 12½	6 12½	6 15
SHORT RIBS.					
Sept.	7 07½	7 07½	7 07½	7 07½	7 07½
Oct.	7 07½	7 07½	7 05	7 05	7 07½
Jan.	6 77½	6 80	6 77½	6 80	6 77½

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour was steady. No. 2 spring wheat, 81@82c; No. 3 spring wheat, 78@80c; No. 2 red, 81@82c. No. 2 corn, 50½@51c; No. 3 yellow, 50½@51c. No. 2 oats, 39@39½c; No. 3 white, 39@39½c. No. 2 rye, 68@68½c. No. 2 barley, 48c; fair to choice malting, 49@53c. No. 1 flaxseed, 1.00c. No. 1 northwestern, 1.00c. Prime timothy seed, $3.15. Mess pork, per bbl, $12.40@12.45. Lard, per 100 lbs, $6.40@6.42½. Short ribs sides (loose), $7.05@7.07½. Dry salted shoulders (boxed), 6½@6¾c. Short clear sides (boxed), $7.05@7.07½. Whisky, basis of high wines, $1.27. Clover, contract grade, $9.30.

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No. 2					
Sept.	50	50	49½	49½	50⅛
Dec.	51½	52¼	51½	51¾	51⅛
May	52½	53	52½	52⅝	52⅛
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The Live Stock Market.

HORSE ISLAND STOCK TABLE.

Thursday, Sept. 3, 1903.

Cattle—Receipts light; market steady, choice, 1,400 lbs and up, $4 25@4 50; good, 1,200 to 1,400 lbs, $3 90@4 25; fair to good, 1,100 to 1,200 lbs, $3 60@3 90; common to fair, 1,000 to 1,100 lbs, $3 25@3 60; bulls and heifers, 750 to 1,000 lbs, $3 00@3 50; bulls and stags, $2 00@3 00; fresh cows and springers, $30@60 00.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts fair; market active; best wethers, up to 100 lbs, $3 75@4 10; good mixed, $3 50@3 75; fair to good, $3 25@3 50; culls and common, $2 50@3 00; best lambs, $5 25@5 50; fair to good, $4 75@5 25; veal calves, $7 50@8 00; heavy and thin, $4 00@4 50.

Hogs—Receipts, 10 double decks; market active; best grades, $5 45@5 50; prime mediums, $5 40@5 45; heavy Yorkers, $5 30@5 35; light Yorkers, $5 20@5 25; pigs, $5 00@5 05; roughs, $4 00@5 00.

[By Associated Press To The Gazette.]

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 3.—Cattle—Receipts, 8,000 head; calves, 600 head. Best beeves steady; last cow strong; good stockers and feeders steady to strong; calves steady; bulls steady. Dressed beef steers, $3 75@4 60; Texas and Indian steers, $2 75@3 75; Texas cows, $2 25@3 00; native cows, $2 50@4 00; native heifers, $2 50@4 25; stockers and feeders, $2 50@3 75; bulls, $2 25@3 25; calves, $3 00@5 50; western steers, $3 00@4 00; western cows, $2 25@3 00. Sheep—Receipts, 12,000 head; market steady to strong. Muttons, $3 50@4 00; lambs, $4 00@5 00; range wethers, $3 50@4 00; fed ewes, $3 00@3 50.

NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,100 head; a few stockers sold at $3 65 per 100 lbs, about a car of dry cows at $1 25@2 25, limited beef supply; only choice native steers wanted; bulls and cows dull; veals steady at $6 50@7 50; dressed beef steady at 7½@10½c; country dressed carcasses quoted steers at 7½@10½c. Sheep—Receipts, 212 head; market slow and steady; veals sold at $3 00@5 25 per 100 lbs; culls at $2 50@3 00; buck sheep and yearlings, $3 50@4 00; sheep and lambs, 1,800 head; sheep sorry for top grades, ready for others; general sales of lambs at an advance of about 25c; sheep sold at $2 50@3 25 per 100 lbs; culls at $2 00@2 50; lambs, $4 00@5 00; culls at $3 00@4 00. Dressed mutton, 5½@7½c per lb; dressed lambs, 8@11c. Hogs—Receipts, 1,200 head; market firm; state hogs sold at $5 15@5 20.

CHICAGO, Sept. 3.—Cattle—Receipts, 8,000 head; market steady to lower; good to prime steers, $5 40@6 00; poor to medium, $4 15@5 35; stockers and feeders, $2 50@4 00; cows, $1 40@4 25; heifers, $2 00@4 50; canners, $1 40@2 40; bulls, $2 00@4 00; calves, $3 50@6 50; Texas fed steers, $3 50@4 60; Western steers, $3 50@4 60. Sheep—Receipts today, 15,000 head; market opened steady, closed 5c to 10c higher; native and Westerns, $3 25@5 90; yearlings, $5 00@5 75; lambs, native and Western, $4 00@6 50.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—Butter—Receipts, 6,300 packages; firm; state dairy, 16@20c; do creamery, 20c; packing stock, 19@24½c; creamery, 19@24c; Elgins, 24½c. Eggs—Receipts, 9,062 packages; firm; state full average, selected colored, 24@25c; small white, 24@25c; large white, 23@24c; fancy white, 24@25c; Western gathered, 23@24c; Southern, 22@23c; Pennsylvania and nearby extras, 25c; Pennsylvania and nearby firsts, 24@24½c; seconds to firsts, 19@22c.

CHICAGO, Sept. 3.—Butter, steady; creameries, 18@23c; dairies, 17@22c. Eggs, firmer at mark, cases included, 16½@17½c. Cheese, steady.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 3.—Butter steady and in fair demand; extra western creamery, 24c; do nearby prints, 25c; fancy do, 24c; fancy, fresh marks, 23c; do western, 22c; do nearby, 23c; do southwestern, 20@22c; do southern, 19@20c. Cheese dull and weak. New York full creams, choice to fancy, 12½@13c; do fair to good, 11@12c.

Civil Service Examinations.

The United States civil service commission announces that an examination for the position of bookkeeper in the Philippine service will take place October 21. The salary is $1,200 per year and the age limit is 18 to 60 years.

An examination for the position of local and assistant inspector of hulls in the steamboat service at Seattle, Wash., will be held on October 14. The salary is $1,200 per year and it is required that the applicant have at least five years' experience as master or pilot of a steam vessel of over 100 gross tons.

Opened Up the Court Library.

Percival G. Dieby, law librarian, returned yesterday from a month's vacation spent at Silver Island, where he had been with his wife and son. The court recommenced on Monday after the summer adjournment and he opened the library in preparation for it. The library was then refurnished and repaired before Mr. Digby went away.

STOLE FOR SICK MOTHER.

New York Magist

BANKS ARE EAGER FOR PUBLIC CASH

Treasury Department Is Inundated With Applications for Deposits.

BUT FEW WILL BE GRANTED

Institutions Not Thought to Be Out of Funds, but Desire to Intrench Themselves Against Possible Stringency in the Money Market—What Shaw Says.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Room 10, Postal Building.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 3.

National banks all over the country are clamoring for a share of the $40,000,000 that it has been reported Secretary Shaw stands ready to deposit to relieve the financial situation when the conditions demand relief. Every incoming mail brings to the treasury department new applications asking to be favored with a deposit. This general demand for money is not considered an evidence of a need of more currency at present, but rather a desire on the part of the banks to fortify themselves for the stringency that is expected this fall when the crop-moving season arrives.

A treasury department official when asked for information this afternoon said: "Since the statement was published that Secretary Shaw stood ready to relieve any financial stringency by depositing $40,000,000 of public funds in national banks, applications have come from banks from all over the country asking to be designated as United States depositories. These applications are still coming in and we are telling them all that nothing will be done in the matter further than filing their requests until the secretary returns to Washington."

"Will you state how many additional depositories have been appointed and how much money has been deposited with them?" was asked.

Information Not Obtainable.

"No; I cannot give you that information," said the official. "Before the secretary left he designated a number of banks as depositories. I cannot state where. The amount of money deposited with each was really insignificant. When the secretary returns he may be willing to make public the information you desire, but I am not at liberty to do so."

The fact that the new depositories are located in different parts of the country and that it is the evident purpose of the department to scatter whatever relief is afforded over various sections will cause some surprise, as it was generally supposed that the greater portion of the additional government deposits would be placed in New York, since it is from New York the money is withdrawn that is needed by the western banks to cover the cost of moving the crops. If this plan is followed out it will be a new and radical move on the part of Secretary Shaw. Besides the one of the controller of the currency there were received today $750,000 of additional bonds to secure circulation. These were bonds that were withdrawn from deposit for this purpose and in addition to this sum there were $85,000 sent in to the United States treasury for circulation purposes by new banks.

Shaw Denies Rumors.

CHICAGO, Sept. 3.—The published report that government deposits in national banks are to be materially increased is declared by Secretary of the Treasury Leslie M. Shaw to be unfounded. Secretary Shaw today made the following statement:

"I notice some newspaper accounts to the effect that I am about to increase deposits of public money to the exent of $40,000,000. It is true I have $40,000,000 available for deposits if conditions should hereafter render it expedient to make so large an increase. For the present I am accepting only applications for small amounts that have been on file for several months and am confining these to agricultural districts."

TREAT FOR CHILDREN.

Public School Pupils Will Be Admitted to Oakland Carnival Free Tomorrow.

A special treat has been prepared for the school children of the city. Tomorrow afternoon all children will be admitted to the Oakland carnival grounds free. When the carnival opened it was prepared to have a gala day, but the weather blocked this. The disappointment being keen, the management yesterday decided to throw open the gates to the children Saturday afternoon.

Great interest is centered in the automobile drawing. A splendid machine will be given the holder of the ticket which will be drawn Saturday evening, September 12. The value of the machine will depend upon the number of tickets sold.

King Stanley, who yesterday conducted the telepathic test, was a much-sought individual last night. He was located in "Dante's Inferno." Yesterday morning a committee consisting of Police Magistrate Vitchestain, Detective Richard Kelly, Ordinance Officer M. G. Lemptone and three newspaper men, left the Hotel Anderson in a carriage and drove to the Hotel Boyer, where they made a pin hole in a calendar and then proceeded to the exposition, where they secreted the pin under a vase in one of the exhibits. Returning to the Anderson, King Stanley awaited the return of the blindfolded, drove the committeemen to the exposition and located the pin and then to the hotel Boyer where he put the pin in the hole in the calendar.

Last night's attendance was over the 5,000 mark.

Tonight the Elks and Eagles will be special guests of the carnival management.

TWO WERE HELD ON A FELONY CHARGE

William Howard, colored, and Albert Haven, white, were yesterday held for court on a charge of entering a building with intent to commit a felony. Howard attempted to open a safe in the residence of W. F. Sunday, near West Liberty, with a pick on Saturday night. He was surprised and caught. On telling his story to the police they arrested Haven. Howard charged him with planning the job.

P. & L. E. EXCURSIONS.

Ashtabula	$2.50
Erie	$3.00
North East	$2.25

All trains Saturday and the "Flyer" Sunday morning, leave Lake Erie station 8 o'clock, due Ashatoula 10:45. Returning Sunday evening, due Pittsburgh 10:45.

PARLOR C. E. TRAINS FOR ERIE
Via Pennsylvania Lines.

Leave Pittsburgh Union station 9:05 a. m. and 5:05 p. m.; Allegheny, 9:12 a. m. and 5:42 p. m., city time. Saturdays. Round trip $3, good to return until Monday.

Paulson Bros. Co.

Removed to No. 315 Wood street, six doors above First National bank, same side of the street as old store.

A Dollar for Nothing.

See Home Trust Company's ad. in next Sunday's Gazette.

Don't miss "Pittsburgh After Nightfall" in The Sunday Gazette.

NIGHT ATTACK ON PARRY WATCHMEN

Home of Organized Labor's Noted Enemy Is Object of Hostile Demonstration.

THE PICKETS ARE DOUBLED

Suspicious Men Found Prowling Around the Premises—Guard Attacked and Shots Are Exchanged With His Assailants—Extra Precautions Being Taken.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 3.—D. M. Parry, president of the Manufacturers' association and the most bitter enemy that organized labor has had in 20 years, has strengthened the guard about his country home and armed the men at his command with better weapons. At night it is now impossible to approach Mr. Parry's residence from any direction without meeting with a challenge from one of the dozen guards who are constantly on duty.

Mr. Parry's guards were attacked last night. This fact made him more determined to redouble his vigilance and increase his force of watchmen. Watchman Smith was attacked last night shortly after midnight and in the fight that ensued a score of shots were exchanged between the guards and two men who were prowling in the shrubbery. It was Smith who first gave the report of the affair to Parry that suspicious men were prowling about the premises. He found three men concealed in the shadows of the underbrush along the canal that flows through Mr. Parry's grounds and overhearing the conversation asserts that one of the men said:

"This job means $20,000 to us and we can't afford to miss. We need a boat and we need not lose the swag by being too hasty."

SEVEN NEW CASES.

Health Bureau Report on Smallpox and Other Infectious Diseases.

Seven cases of smallpox were reported yesterday as follows: George Backofen, 67 years old, of No. 30 Stevenson street; Ida Williams, 33 years old, of No. 1813 Carey street; Mary Quartz, 22 years old, Main and Irwin streets; John Holmes, 3 years old, Jewel street; Eliza Geyer, 10 months, Crockett street; Samuel White, 39 years old, 5 Humbert street; William Doran, 69 years old, 2314 Wylie avenue.

The mortuary report for the week ended last Saturday shows the total number of deaths in Pittsburgh to have been 145, an annual death rate of 21.29 per 1,000 inhabitants. During the corresponding week of last year the total deaths were 180. During the week 13 persons died of smallpox, 10 of other contagious diseases; 9 died of typhoid fever, 14 of diarrhoea, 5 of consumption, 5 of pneumonia, 9 of heart disease, and 22 of violent causes. Twenty-nine of the decedents were under 1 years of age, 21 under 10 and 11 over 70.

During the week 185 cases of infectious diseases were reported of which 94 were smallpox, 21 diphtheria, 16 scarlet fever and 51 typhoid fever.

Seven new cases of diphtheria, 6 of typhoid fever and two of scarlet fever were reported yesterday.

LARGE POSTAL RECEIPTS.

Pittsburgh Postoffice Had an Increase of 16.12 Per Cent in August.

The report of the Pittsburgh postoffice for the month of August, 1903, shows an increase of 16.12 per cent over the corresponding month in 1902. The receipts last month were $114,698, while the receipts of August, 1902, were $98,772.42, an increase of $15,825.58. The receipts have been remarkably high this summer, and the officials look for the biggest months in the history of the Pittsburgh postoffice during the coming winter. It is expected that more carriers will be put on in about one month. Twenty-six have been asked for, and the high receipts of the office will be good arguments for granting the request.

Postoffice Inspectors Frank A. O'Brien and Holby started in yesterday on the work of reviewing the previous recommendations concerning the granting of free delivery to several of the suburbs.

UNION STATION ACCIDENT.

Cars Break Away from Engine and Crash Through Freight Elevator.

An accident occurred at the Union station about 6:30 last night, which was similar in character to several that have taken place since the new station has been completed.

Loaded mail cars were being shunted into the shed, when three of them broke away from the engine. They gained in speed until they struck a car standing on the track near the end of the line. The momentum of the three cars forced the other one over the bumpers, knocking down the freight elevator frame and lodged it over the shaft. Thomas Dunn, one of the workmen at the station, was resting on the bumpers when the cars came down the track. He was warned of the danger and jumped. As he leaped the car struck him, but he escaped serious injury.

HIBERNIAN PICNIC.

Braddock Members of the Order Have an Outing at Idlewild.

Division No. 14, Ancient Order of Hibernians of Braddock, to the number of 300, with their wives and friends and with some 500 other members of the order from Wilmerding, Turtle Creek, Homestead and Duquesne and their families and friends held their annual picnic at Idlewild yesterday.

There was a good program of sports at the park. Several bands were taken along to play the old Irish airs. It was the largest outing held by Division No. 14 for the past six years.

Labor Day Matinee Called Off.

The special matinee announced to be given at the Alvin theater on Labor day afternoon, has been called off, as this arrangement was made without the consent of Miss Walsh, who is to present "Resurrection" next week. Instead, Miss Walsh has arranged to occupy a prominent window in Fifth avenue and with invite leading members of the "Resurrection" Company to accompany her where they can view the parade to the best advantage. Miss Walsh insists that the labor organizations are all right in their way, and she has always specified with her manager that only union men be engaged as electricians, carpenters, etc. Consequently the working force of the Blanche Walsh Company will declare Monday afternoon off and will turn out in the parade with one of the local organizations.

Temperance Workers Meet Tonight.

A meeting will be held at the Sandusky street Baptist church, Allegheny, this evening at 7:45 in the interest of the Loyal Temperance legion. One of the main speakers will be Mrs. Elma M. Preston, Kennet Square, Pa., state secretary of the legion. Members from all over the city are expected.

Run Down By a Train.

George Weimer, 23 years old, of Bradford, Pa., was fatally injured last night on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, near Versailles. He was run down by a fast passenger and badly crushed about the breast and injured internally. He was taken to the McKeesport hospital. A wife lives in Bradford.

COLOMBIA HEARS FROM ROOSEVELT

No Modification of Hay-Herran Canal Treaty Will Be Accepted.

LAST WARNING TO CONGRESS

Costa Rican Minister Calls Upon Secretary Hay to See About the Prospects. His Country Ready to Open Negotiations After September 22.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Room 10, Postal Building.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 3.

Instructions have been sent from the state department to Minister Beaupre at Bogota which were dictated from Oyster Bay. Mr. Beaupre has been advised that the president desires the information impressed on the Colombian congress that there must be no modification of the treaty which was agreed on for the Panama route between Secretary Hay and Charge D'Affaires Herran of Colombia.

It is known that a great effort is being made to show cause to the department why the time limit for the Panama canal treaty should be extended beyond September 2. R. L. Farnham, associated with Nelson Cromwell as counsel of the Panama company, was at the state department today and discussed the general situation with the secretary of state. In accordance with its policy of not making definite announcement till at least the time limit has expired Secretary Hay made no statements to Mr. Farnham as to the purposes of the president.

Mr. Calvo, the minister from Costa Rica, was also a caller at the state department between the United States and Nicaragua and Costa Rica. These protocols are still in force and if the Panama treaty is rejected the protocols will be great time savers. The president is authorized under them to go ahead and prepare the treaties through Secretary Hay for the Nicaragua route. In the meanwhile, however, as in the case of Panama, the preliminary survey could be made by Rear Admiral Walker who went to the isthmus this summer. It is even said that Admiral Walker has been advised to be ready to make a trip to Greytown.

CALL TO A CLERGYMAN.

Rev. A. R. Van Fossen of Allegheny Asked to Take Charge of East End Church.

At a meeting of the congregation of the East End Presbyterian church last night a unanimous call was extended to the Rev. A. R. Van Fossen, pastor of the Second Presbyterian church of Allegheny, to accept their charge. Mr. Van Fossen has been pastor of the Allegheny church for a number of years. The salary at the East End church is $1,950 a year.

The Rev. W. R. Nicholson resigned the pastorate of this church a few months ago.

The congregation has received no intimation as to what Mr. Van Fossen will do in the matter, but they believe he will accept, as he has filled their pulpit one Sunday since Mr. Nicholson resigned.

TO LAY CORNERSTONE.

First Presbyterian Church Congregation Will Arrange Elaborate Ceremony.

The congregation of the First Presbyterian church has decided to lay a cornerstone in its new house of worship in Sixth avenue. A meeting of the board of trustees will be held next week to arrange the details for the ceremony. The majority of the members are returning from their vacation jaunts and the event can take place within the next fortnight.

The matter of laying a cornerstone had not been considered until brought to the notice of the congregation by The Gazette on Monday. Steps were taken immediately by the officers of the church to provide for the celebration and a meeting of the session was held yesterday to arrange the preliminary plans.

NO PITTSBURGH MAFIA.

Italians Declare the Organization Does Not Exist Here and Denounce It.

Pittsburgh Italians are greatly incensed over a recent publication that the Mafia organization exists in Pittsburgh. Last night the Italians held an indignation meeting in Turner hall, Forbes street, where they drew up resolutions denouncing the report and denying that the Mafia has any foothold here.

A number of Italian speakers addressed the gathering and spoke of the energy and thrift displayed by the Italians of Pittsburgh and their desire to be law abiding citizens. The meeting was presided over by M. Cancellford. The leaders of the meeting said they would not tolerate the presence of a member of the Mafia in Pittsburgh.

FIRE DESTROYED VESSEL AND KILLED SEVEN

LONDON, Sept. 3.—The captain and a portion of the crew of the Danish steamer Klampenborg, from Blyth for Cronstadt have landed at South Shields. They report that the Klampenborg was abandoned on account of fire. The third engineer was killed and six of the crew are missing.

Disease-Infected Clothes Stolen.

GREENSBURG, PA., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—Thieves broke into the stable of Dr. W. H. Fears of Suterville and stole two suits of clothing used for visits to smallpox patients. Dr. Pears had left his gold watch in his vest pocket and it was appropriated by the thieves. It is feared that the disease infected clothes may spread the disease.

Thomas Fording Appointed Tipstaff.

Thomas Fording was appointed a tipstaff of common pleas court No. 2 yesterday to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Thomas W. McCray of Sewickley, about two months ago.

Destitute Away from Home.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—Mrs. Hanna, who claims Pittsburgh as here home, with her 2-year-old child, was found wandering about the streets sick and destitute. She claims to have been deserted by her husband two weeks ago.

$2.50 to Wheeling and Return, Via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, Account West Virginia State Fair.

Tickets, including admission, on sale at Pittsburgh, September 7th-11th, good to return until September 12th, inclusive.

Ten dollars to Cape May, Atlantic City, etc., in coaches, or twelve dollars in parlor or sleeping cars, via Pennsylvania railroad, September TENTH. Remember this is the last for 1903.

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FOREMAN MILLER TO BE DISMISSED

Indications Are That the Bookbinders' Union Has Triumphed Over Objectionable Official.

ACTION EXPECTED SHORTLY

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

Washington, Sept. 3.—The Evening Star today says: The long-drawn out Miller case at the government printing office is nearing an end and the discharge of Foreman Miller may be looked for any day, in the opinion of officials who have been following the case. It says that after the Bookbinders' union made charges to prevent Miller's retention in the government printing office, Miller filed counter charges of importance. These were referred to Mr. Affield, commissioner of corporations in the bureau of commerce and labor, and it is said that he finds the charges made by Mr. Miller not sustained.

The Star says Fpresident Roosevelt is anxious the matter shall be disposed of and publicly announced before Labor day, when he is to make a speech at Syracuse. Mr. Garfield and also Secretary Cortelyou who have had the Miller case before them, are out of the city, the former being in New York.

AGED WOMAN RUN DOWN.

Probably Fatally Injured While Crossing a Busy Downtown Street.

Mrs. Mary Youngson, one of the oldest residents of the city, was run over by a team and probably fatally injured while attempting to cross Penn avenue, at Fifth street, yesterday afternoon. The horses knocked her down and the wagon passed over her body. She was picked up almost unconscious and removed to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mary Crawford, in Black street, near North Negley avenue.

Dr. W. H. McKelvey, the husband of one of Mrs. Youngson's granddaughters, attended her. The right leg was broken below the knee, her left ankle crushed and she had been severely cut about the head.

Mrs. Youngson is over 80 years old and the shock of the accident is affecting her so much that the worst results are feared. She was for many years active in the Methodist Episcopal church and also took part in temperance work. For many years she conducted a confectionery and restaurant in Smithfield street. J. S. Youngson, of the East End, is her son.

ORGANIZED RETAIL CLERKS.

President John R. O'Brien Forms Local of Protective Association.

A local organization of the Retail Clerks International Protective association was effected last night in the Hotel Griswold. John R. O'Brien, president of the organization with headquarters in Buffalo, who arrived in the city early this week, was present. He was here two years ago for the same purpose, but failed then.

The object of organizing the retail clerks is to have them indorse the union label of the Boot and Shoe Workers' union. The Knights of Labor is opposed to this and efforts were made to prevent the meeting. The local organization starts out with about 15 members and will probably have double that number at the next meeting to be held some day next week.

A peculiar feature marked the effort to form the organization. Some members of the local assembly of clerks stood in front of the hotel and as they saw clerks about to enter told them there was no meeting, as the effort to organize had been postponed. To offset this a delegate of the American Federation of Labor informed them otherwise and succeeded in getting them into the hotel.

ANTI-SALOON ADVOCATE'S HOUSE WRECKED BY DYNAMITE

KEYSTONE, IND., Sept. 3.—The residence of Abraham Showalter, who has been prominently connected with the anti-saloon movement, was partly demolished today by dynamite. The family of five persons were slightly injured, being covered by the ruins.

BOOTH & FLINN'S MEN ON A STRIKE

CLAYSVILLE, PA., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—About 300 Italians in the employ of Booth & Flinn, the Pittsburgh contractors who are laying a 20-inch gas line for the Manufacturers Light & Heat Company near here, have gone on a strike for higher wages and shorter hours.

Handicap Weights Announced.

CHICAGO, Sept. 3.—Weights were announced today for the Harlem Jockey Club's $2,000 race, the "Twentieth century" handicap for seven-eighths and upward at a mile and three-sixteenths. The race which is to be run next Monday, has 120 entries. McChesney gets top weight with 133 pounds. Eimer has 123, John A. Drake 121 pounds, and Sayable 117 and 114 respectively. The weights run away down to 80 pounds, making 53 pounds difference between lowest and highest.

Charter for Down-River Hospital.

An order was signed in common pleas court No. 2 yesterday granting the charter of the Suburban General hospital, which will be located in Bellevue, Ben Avon or Avalon. The new hospital will be non-sectarian, open to all patients and a general institution. S. G. Porter, W. B. Kirker and W. H. S. Thompson were the attorneys representing the applicants for the charter.

Two Women Burned to Death.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 3.—Mrs. John Henderson and Mrs. William Shaffer were burned to death and their children narrowly escaped, at Blue Ash, O. The boiling over of coffee extinguished the fire and the gasoline flowed unnoticed. An explosion followed the lighting of a match

Asthma Can Be Cured

The statement of Mr. J. F. Homan, 20 E. Adams St., Chicago, proves that the worst cases of Asthma in the world are not only relieved, but are readily cured by Dr. Schiffmann's Asthma Cure. He says: "Asthma kept me in terrible misery for ten years until I used your Asthma Cure. After the first trial I was a changed man. I went to sleep that night and awoke next day much relieved and I have gotten entirely over the Asthma. It is now nine years since I was cured."

Mr. W. Serenus, Cavalier, N. D., says, "I was troubled with asthma for 20 years, about 8 years ago I started to use your Asthma Cure, and have not had an attack for six years."

Sold by all druggists at 50c and $1.00. Send 2c stamp to Dr. R. Schiffmann, Box 804 St. Paul, Minn., for a free trial package.

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Miss Gannon, Sec'y Detroit Amateur Art Association, tells young women what to do to avoid pain and suffering caused by female troubles.

"I can conscientiously recommend **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound** to those of my sisters suffering with female weakness and the troubles which so often befall women. I suffered for months with general weakness and felt so weary that I had hard work to keep up. I had shooting pains and was utterly miserable. In my distress I was advised to use **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound**, and it was a red letter day to me when I took the first dose, for at that time my restoration began. In six weeks I was a changed woman, perfectly well in every respect. I felt so elated and happy that I want all women who suffer to get well as I did."—MISS GUILA GANNON, 359 Jones St., Detroit, Corresponding Sec'y Mich. Amateur Art Association.—*$5000 forfeit if original of above letter proving genuineness cannot be produced.*

It is clearly shown in this young lady's letter that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will surely cure the sufferings of women; and when one considers that Miss Gannon's letter is only one of hundreds which we have, the great virtue of Mrs. Pinkham's medicine must be admitted by all.

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AT 4 P. M.
March, "Baltimore Centennial" ..... Herbert
Prelude, "Lohengrin" ..... Wagner
Trombone Solo, "Cujus Animam," from "Stabat Mater" ..... Rossini
Signor Greco.
Gems of Stephen Foster ..... Tobani
AT 7:30 P. M.
March, "Tannhauser" ..... Wagner
"Ride of the Walkyrie" ..... Wagner
Prelude, third act from "Tristan and Isolde" ..... Wagner
Overture, "Tannhauser" ..... Wagner
AT 9:30 P. M.
Third Act, "La Boheme" ..... Puccini
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Wise men will lay in a year's supply while the assortment is unbroken.

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OF THE
Friday Bargain Ad.

Things go wrong at the advertising desk sometimes, and events of the greatest moment fail to get even a word where they deserve a column.

This happened yesterday.

Mothers who scanned the four columns in the Chronicle-Leader and Press to see what we offered in Boys' Clothing found everything else.

So The Gazette's readers have something exclusive this morning—a tempting array of boys' garments just right for school wear at prices good for Today, and also for Tomorrow, if any are left:

MIGHTY GOOD SUITS FOR SCHOOL WEAR. If you have a boy from 3 to 8 years old, and that boy wants some new clothes to wear to school, and you would like to fit him out with something good, yet costing so little that it won't matter if he has to have another suit before snow flies, see the All-wool Vestee Suits that are a little off in style and accordingly reduced from $4.50 and $5 to..... $1.39

FOR LARGER BOYS TO WEAR TO SCHOOL. If your boy is between 8 and 15 years old perhaps his school wants will be well met by one of the $4.50 or $3.50 Two-piece Suits in light cheviot stripes or gray-and-brown mixtures which we have reduced to..... $1.75

TWO MORE MONTHS OF WASH SUIT WEATHER. Little fellows 6, 7 or 8 years old can wear Wash Suits to school until November, and their mothers can buy $1.00 Wash Suits for them at our store for..... 25c

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